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GRADUATING CLASS EXERCISES AT M.H.S

CLASS DAY PROGRAM TO BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT—GRADUATE FRIDAY

TO HOLD CLASS PLAY

Rev. Snodgrass to Deliver Final Address to Class Friday Night—Presentation of Diplomas and Honors.

The class day exercises of the class 1919 of the Maryville High School will be held Thursday night at the School Auditorium, each member of the class taking part in the program which has been prepared.

The exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock with a group of songs by Miss Blance Alexander. Miss Sadie Neal will deliver the Valedictorian address and Miss Roberta Wells will give the Salutatory.

Following the talks, the class operetta, "Windmills of Holland" will be presented. The closing number will be a song by the chorus consisting of ten members of the class.

On Friday evening the graduating exercises will be held at the High School Auditorium, with Rev. R. E. Snodgrass delivering the Class address. The invocation will be given by Rev. W. C. Ferguson.

Principal L. E. Ziegler will present the class to the Board of Education, following which the award of the diplomas will be made by Mr. E. E. Williams. The final part of the exercises will be the awarding of the scholarships and honors by Supt. J. M. McDonald.

Following is the program which will be presented Thursday evening:

Part 1.

Groups of Songs—Blanche Alexander.
Salutatory—Roberta Wells.
Class Will—Alice Peery.
Piano Silo—Clio Coler.
Class Prophesy—Virgil Borrusch.
Valedictory—Sadie Neal.
Vocal Solo—Helen Burch.
Presentation of Gifts—Frank Russell.
Class Song.

Part 2.

Operetta—"Windmills of Holland".

Cast.

Mynherr Hertogenbosch, Rich Holland farmer—Frank Russell.

Vrouw Hertogenbosch, his wife—Odessa Wells.

Hilda Hertogenbosch, a daughter—Marie Price.

Wilhelmina Hertogenbosch, a daughter—Blanche Alexander.

Hans Hertogenbosch, student of music, in love with Wilhelmina—Clifford Hull.

Franz, rich farmer's son in love with Hilda—Creston Maul.

Bob Yankee, American Salesman—Harold Houchens.

Katrina, rich farmer's daughter—Stella Brown.

Chorus.

Melba Appleby, Vivian Lyle, Iva Williams, Thelma Hunt, Alice Peery, Mabel Cook, Mildred Shinabargar, Sadie Neal, Helen Burch, Pauline McDermott.

BAND BOYS DISCHARGED.

Many Maryville Boys Are Returning Home from Camp Custer, Mich.

Henry Buhler and Robert Bramble arrived in Maryville this morning from Camp Custer, Mich., where they have been with the band for the past number of months. These boys have been discharged from the army. Other Maryville boys, Charles Wallace, Orville Vert and Sam Mitchell, are expected to be home within the next few days.

Harold Maulding who was with the band has been discharged and is now in Chicago with his father, Bert Woodward, another of the boys, has a position at Beloit, Wis., and Ezra Phipps has a position at Beloit.

These boys left Maryville on August 5, 1917, and were first sent to Fort Sill, Okla., and then to Comp Custer. They were never overseas.

GERMAN WORK UNCOVERED IN CORK.

London, May 13.—A German revolver and several German cartridges were unearthed when the military authorities made a search among the Sinn Feiners at Cory today, said a Central News Dispatch from that city.

Three More Names for Flag.

The names of Jesse Anderson of Maryville, Joseph C. Farnan of Conception Junction and David T. Parmlee of Hopkins, have been added to the county service flag.

M[illegible] TEAM WINNER IN [illegible] OF B.B. SEASON

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

Defe[illegible] on Sunday by 6 to [illegible] Good for Winni[illegible] Season.

The Maryvil[illegible]rals, the team which is to represe[illegible] this city on the baseball diamond during the coming summer, opened the season Sunday afternoon with a clean 6 to 2 win over the Burlington Junction Boosters on the latter's diamond.

The game was wel played throughout nd over five hundred fans were there to witness the opening tilt. Although it was their first appearance this season, the Maryville tossers were in mid season form and the indications are that the nine will develop into one of the fastest that has represented Maryville in many a moon.

Bluel, on the mound for Maryville, held his opponents to only three scattered hits, while the local boys garnered eight safe bingles off Monk's delivery.

The Burlington Junction supporters expected a walk-away at the opening of the game, but when the Maryville machine began to operate their enthusiasm dampened.

Prospects for the great national game are unusually bright this year in Maryville, and plans have already been made by the team supporters to obtain the Faid grounds for the local pastime lot.

All of the Fed players are experienced veterans of the game and included in the line-up are several well-known college and semi-pro stars. With the proper support the boys are sure to make their mark in northwest Missouri circles this summer. The line-up: Ferguson, ss; Buhler, cf; Adle, 3b; Black, c; Hise, lf; Scarlett, lf; Conley, 2b; Busby, rf; Bluel, p.

LETTER FROM A NAVAL ENSIGN

JOHN KEY ORSS OF THIS CITY, NOW IN SERVICE IN NEW YORK

PRAISE FOR THE HEROES

Although Held by Duty at Big Eastern City, Maryville Boy Appreciates Welcome to Returning Men.

John Key Ross of this city, now an Ensign in the United States Naval Auxiliary Reserve at New York City, N. Y. writes to the boys in the service. Ensign Ross states that he will be unable to return to this city for considerable time but that he is taking a keen interest in the home coming of the men. The letter follows:

To the Democrat-Forum:

I have noticed with pleasure the keen interest that the people of Nodaway are taking in making the home coming of the boys who have been in the service, a thing which shall long be remembered by all of them.

It is with deep regret that I am unable to be with the boys of Nodaway as they are welcomed back to the old friends and fireside. But the distance between us can not serve as a bulwark to my rejoicing with you upon such a notable occasion.

It is fitting that the public should pay the highest respect to those who have worn or do wear the uniform in this great war, and not only this war but all other wars in which the American blood has had a part. For we as a Nation can be proud of the fact that not a drop of our blood has been spent on the battle field for conquest.

So as the boys come marching home dressed in the uniform which all over the earth stands as the badge of courage, and the symbol of patriotic devotion surely the hearts of the American people shall ever hold with solemn pride that they were privileged to serve in a period of national need. And that they served without hesitation, and lost with out regret.

But while we rejoice for those who have come back to us, we must also be mindful of the fact that there are a number that shall not return to us again. And our hearts are touched with sorrow at the thought of it. They have gone west, and we can not carry on in these days with the thought that some who we knew and were dear to us, have payed with their lives the supreme sacrafice, laying upon the altar of their country their all.

As I read the names of those heroes and recalled the brave deeds which

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DR. STRAYER GIVES TALK ON EDUCATION

NOTED EDUCATOR TELLS BUSINESS MEN OF CONDITIONS

IS GUEST AT LUNCHEON

Will Speak This Afternoon at State Normal School—Urges Raise of Teachers' Salaries.

George D. Strayer, president of the National Sducational Association, professor of educational administration, Columbia Teachers' College and chairman of the Commission of the Emergency in Education, addressed the business men of the city at luncheon at noon today in the basement of the First M. E. Church, on educational conditions in this country.

"The war revealed to the school teachers, as well as the average citizen, defects in American education which we little suspected," Professor Strayer said. "We found one man in three could perform the general military tasks exacted of those in service. We learned that 20 per cent of the men drafted could not get ideas from a newspaper or write a letter home. It was discovered there were thousands of foreigners who could not understand a word of English.

"Most alarming was the discovery that one in every five teachers instructing the youth of America has had less than a high school education.

From the fact Doctor Strayer proceeded to give his proposition of effective organization in the teaching profession urging the two-fold task of carrying out a great educational program in America and making the people asquainted with the necessity for the program could be accomplished by only the organization of those who do the teaching. He pleaded for professional advancement through methods such as the Amreican Medical Association employs.

Professor Strayer said the remedies for the present conditions were adequate pay for teachers, raising the standard of qualifications for teachers, and having a department of education with a member of the cabinet. He spoke of the number of teachers who have gone to other work on account of being able to make more.

Mr. Strayer also pointed out that the best contribution this country can make is to break down the foreign caste in our midst. He told of several places over the country before the war where the chilren have not even been taught the English language.

Mr. Strayer is in Maryville visiting the State Normal School and giving a series of lectures there. He will leave this evening.

MINSTREL SHOW A SUCCESS

Crowded House Greeted Zero Club Show at the Empire Theater Last Night.

The Zero Club Minstrel show at the Empire theatre last night under the direction of Miss Besse Scott was a grand success. Every ticket had been sold several hours before the performance and there were forty-nine "standing" tickets sold, which is a new record for the theatre.

The first part of the show was the minstrels with Frank P. Reuillard as interlocutor. Many good songs were given which were heartily applauded.

The second part, a olio, consisted of many a good number and the acting of Miss Persis Hunt in the comedy sketch "The Table Tells," was very creditable.

BUYS McNEAL RESIDENCE.

Dr. H. S. Dowell of Clearmont Purchased Home Here.

Dr. H. S. Dowell of Clearmont has purchased the residence property of Charles McNeal on South Buchanan Street and will take possession about June 15. The consideration was $7,500 The deal was made through Holmes & Wolfert.

The Zero Club thanks you for your patronage last night.

If any person who purchased advance tickets was unable to secure a seat we will gladly refund money at Reuillard's.

ROLAND CURNUTT,
Secretary.

HIGH SCHOOL CADETS TO GIVE DRILL THURSDAY

Boys to Compete for Cup Donated by Prof. McDonald and Medals by Capt. H. D. Snyder—Grade School Boys to Compete.

The High School Cadets will give a public exhibition drill Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the State Normal athletic field in which the three cadet companies will compete for a silver cup which has been offered by Prof. McDonald, and for individual medals offered by Captain H. D. Snyder.

Preliminaries in the medal drill were held yesterday afternoon and were judged by Lieut. D. K. Seckington, U. S. R., Lieut Loren Price, M. H. G. and Sergt. John Mutz. Eight cadets were selected from each company to compete in the finals to be held Thursday.

A drill by the Grade school boys will also be put on Thursday.

PLANS TO BUILD NEW STATE ROADS

STATE IS TO BE DIVIDED INTO TWO DISTRICTS

COUNTIES REPRESENTED

District Engineer to Call Upon Each County and Advise on the Roads to Be Improved.

Jefferson City, May 13.—In order to acquaint the various counties, civil subdivisions and interested parties of the state who are interested in co-operating with the State Highway Department in the building of state roads in their respective counties and sub-divisions, and to appraise them of the policy so far dopted b ythe Department as to how to proceed under the amended Hawes law, the department authorizes the following sttaement.

The board organized by electing R. L. Sanford, chairman; George E. McInich, vice chairman; John M. Malang, state highway superintendent and ex-officio secretary of the board; Alexander W. Graham, state highway engineer; J. Russell Ellis, first assistant state highway superintendent, and Kirk McFarland, second assistant state highway engineer.

The department upon the advice of the engineer divided the state into two districts and will immediately place a residential engineer in each district, whose duty it will be to confer with the local authorities, view and lay out state roads, and advise with them as to the best method and policy to pursue to have the same surveyed as soon as possible. The department had laid out a tentative system of state roads to comply with the provisions of the amended Hawes law that will come under that part of the law that provides $1,200 per miles of state and federhal aid to be used without cost to the counties It will be the duty of the district engineer to call upon the various counties in their resepctive districts, view the roads after consulting local authorities and report to the highway department the feasibility of improving such roads and they will decide whether or not the roads viewed and agreed upon by the district engineer and the local authorities shall be improved as proved in the amended Hawes law in the 6,000 mile system. After the State Highway Department has acted upon the recommendation of the resident engineer he fill then advise with the counties, subdivisions or interested parties, the best method of having the road surveyed and plans prepared.

Under the provisions of the law the State Highway Department is authorized to make surveys and deduct the cost from the $1,200 per miles of such survey not to exceed $000 per mile. It also provides that a county, civil subdivision or interested party, may secure their own engineer and make their own survey at their cost, provided such survey complys with the requirements of the state Highway Department and meets with the approval of the Bureau o of Public Roads at Washington. The district engineer will advise with the counties and instruct them and their engineers as to the kind or survey and plans that will be required, and in no case should a county, civil sub-division of interested party, start such a survey until they have advised with the district engineer of the state hikhway engineer.

The law contemplates a road improved in each county before a county shall

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PLAN PENSION FOR BAPTIST PASTORS

MEETING TO BE HELD SUNDAY TO DISCUSS APPROPRIATION

PAY PASTORS POORLY

Comparative Table Shows Ministers to Receive an Average Lower Compensation Than the Trades.

Plans are being made at the Baptist church in this city for a meeting to be held next Sunday morning at which time the matter of raising money for the support of the aged ministers of the denomination will be discussed.

The Baptists of America have projected a plan to raise a $3,000,000.00 Endowment Fund for the support of their pastors and of this amount Missouri Baptists will raise $100,000.00. A certain amount of this has been apportioned to Northwest Missouri Baptist Association composed of Atchison, Holt and Nodaway counties. Other denominations are raising large sums of money to take care of their faithful ministers who have toiled at small pay all their lives and now have come to old age with no competence.

It is not known by all how the comparison of preachers salaries compare with workers of other callings and trades. The average salary of preachers by denominations is as follows:

Northern Baptists	$ 683.00
Southern Methodist	681.00
North Methodist	741.00
South Presbyterian	857.00
North Presbyterian	977.00
Disciples	526.00
United Brethren	547.00
Lutheran	744.00
Congregational	880.00
Reformed Church	923.00
Universalist	987.00
Unitarian	1,221.00

The average salary in some of the trades is as follows:

Bakery Workers	$ 804.00
R. R. Car Shop Workers	907.00
Photo Engravers	1,087.00
Soap Makers	1,107.00
Fancy Box Makers	1,145.00
Furniture Makers	1,194.00
Machine Shop Workers	1,257.00
Paint and Varnish Workers	1,441.00
Wall Paper Workers	1,508.00
Billard Table Workers	1,511.00
Paper and Pulp Workers	1,813.00
Carpet and Rug Makers	1,825.00
Pencil Makers	1,869.00
Moving Picture Men	1,918.00

Realizing the condition of affairs, the country is finding out that the public school teacher is receiving insufficient compensation. They also see that in order to secvre good teachers they must give them a fair compensation.

Realizing that in order to secure well trained men, who shall be able to lead not only in the religious life in the community but in the civic and social life, they must give their pastors a living wage and not force them to be beggars.

It is related that the aged and worn out Arabian priest is taken on horse back by younger co-laborers for a day's ride straight into the desert and there left with a crust of bread and a bone. His companions ride back to their habitation in silence. The priest passes away. Our denominations in America have determined to do better than the heathen to whom they are preaching the gospel.

In the near future the Maryville Baptist church will join in a campaign to raise their quota of this fund.

DENY STAND OF AM. LEGION

Announcement Made by Col. Lindsay Refutes Report That American Legion Supports Presidential Candidate or Anti-Prohibition Movement.

Washington, May 13.—A statement denying that the American legion which is now in convention in St. Louis has indicated any choice for candidate for president or that the caucus went on record as in favor of anti-prohibition, was issued this afternoon by Colonel Henry Lindsey, chairman of the League caucus.

Thomas F. Merrigan of Conception Junction was a city visitor today.

Miss Anne Cornell of Burlington Junction spent today with her brother, Jos. W. Cornell, annd family.

DR. COILE LEAVES FOR BIG ST. LOUIS MEETING

Local Pastor to Attend General Assembly of Presbyterian Church Next Week—Important Action to Come Up.

Dr. S. A. Coile of the Presbyterian church left last night for St. Louis where he will attend the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in that city next week. Dr. Coile will return the latter part of next week.

The New Era Movement will present to the General Assembly a comprehensive proposal for forward and uplift work, and overtures will be made by many presbyteries for radical action toward meeting the world problems of today. Woman Suffrage, Capital and Labor, the Inter church World Movement, Reclamation, Reconstruction work here and abroad, are among the matters to be considered.

MINSTREL SHOW AT ELK CLUB

Silas Buckthorn's Show Thursday Night at Club House, Followed by Dancing, for Members and Families.

Direct from a run of 100 nights at the Sunnybrook Grand Opera House, Silas Buckthorn's Minstrels, 40—count 'em—40 members, have been contracted for by the Elk's entertainment committee to make one, and only one appearance in Maryville. They will appear at the club house Thursday night. The committee was able to secure this celebrated company only because Maryville is on a direct line from Sunnybrook to Arkoe, where the Minstrels open a long run at the palatial Metropolitan.

The one and only Silas Buckthorn is universally acknowledged as the greatest buck and wing barn dancer in Nodaway coutny, and is supported by a company unrivalled for youth and beauty. The Gold Dust Twins; Little Ollie, the Cute Cut-up, and other features too numerous to mention make their performance the greatest ever seen in a city the size of Maryville.

This attraction was secured at great expense, and the committee appeal for a full attendance of the members and their families.

After the entertainment there will be dancing until the wee hours.

SAVANNAH MEET CALLED OFF

Republican Meeting of Fourth Congressional District called off Because of Extra Congress Session.

The Republican meeting of the Fourth Congressional district, which was to have been held tomorrow at Savannah, has been called off according to word issued by W. L. Cole, chairman of the state committee.

The meeting has been abandoned owing to the action of President Wilson in convening Congress May 10. Senator Selden P. Spencer, who was to have addressed the meeting, wishes to be in Washington for the Republican caucus Wednesday.

Plans Halted by Weather Conditions.

Trepassey Bay, May 13.—Unsettled weather over the Atlantic made it appear probable today that the two American sea planes would not jump off in the trans-Atlantic flight.

Chatham, Mass., May 13.—The hope of "hopping off" Cape Cod today was abandoned this afternoon by Seaplane NC-4 on account of the high winds.

Mr. and Mrs Richard Gray of Skidmore spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. F. P. Brown, and family

GERMANY READY TO SIGN TERMS

GERMAN ENVOYS LEAVE FOR BERLIN TO INFORM GOVERNMENT

ACTION BEFORE SUNDAY

"Big Four" Holds Meeting Today to Consider Austrian Question—Huns to Propose Substitute Paragraphs in Treaty.

Paris, May 13.—The German peace envoys, having agreed among themselves that they cannot secure a modification of the terms, will sign the peace treaty, according to confidential information reaching President Wilson today. Herr Lansberg and Herr Geborg, two members of the Teutonic mission, left Versailles for Berlin to inform the government of the decisions reached by the plenipotentiaries. Final conclusions and a definite coirse will be decided upon by the Germans before Sunday. The "Big Four" met again this morning to consider their consideration of the Austran questions. It was reliably reported that the Germans have compiled a substitute for the eury-pay paragraphs of the peace treaty and that this document would be delivered to the Allies today. However the Entente Powers have taken the stand that there is no reason to believe that much time will be taken for a decision by the Germans on the terms that were handed to them at Versailles. It is believed, however, should the Germans seek to go to Omar, time would be given them to allow their government to set forth its official position.

Should the Teutonic envoys leave it is believed a solemn warning should be imposed upon them that delays for propaganda purposes would be dangerous.

Paris, May 13.—The meeting of the "Big Four" scheduled for this morning was called off just as some of the secretaries began arriving. The German delegates sent word that further communications which it will address to the Allies were not yet ready. The committee which is debating the Austrian treaty is not ready with its documents and there was therefore no business on the slate for the "Big Four."

London, May 13.—An eleventh hour clause inserted in the peace treaty providing that the three chief allies, America, Great Britain, France, could make the terms effective by signing the pact, said a Times dispatch today.

EXPECT FALL OF PETROGRAD.

Stockholm, May 3.—Petrograd is expected to fall to the Allied forces within the next few days, said a Helsingfors dispatch today.

London, May 13.—Twenty British war ships have arrived at Helsingfors and it is believed that the Allies contemplate action against Petrograd.

Former Reichstag Leader Assassinated

Milan, May 13.—Dr. Navay, former president of the Hungarian Reichstag, was assassinated Monday while traveling on the train from Vienna to Budapest, according to a dispatch from the former city today.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, possibly showers in the southwest portion; not much change in temperature.

Feature Tonight **Empire Theatre** 11 and 17 Cents

Alice Joyce, in

"THE CAPTAIN'S CAPTAIN"

A Vitagraph Feature, also a Sunshine Comedy.

TOMORROW—

Tom Moore, in

"The Man and His Money"

A Goldwyn Feature

Under the Auspices of the Twentieth Century Club Benefit Phoebl J. Ess Scholarship Fund.

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Need Home Demonstrators.

The conviction that help may be gained from the services of a home demonstration agent is growing on the women of Missouri and is evidenced by the calls for assistance covering a wide range of duties on the part of the agent.

In one county the home demonstration agent was called upon to help select wall paper and rugs for three rooms. The paper that had been previously used was dark and of a large pattern, and the same description applied to the rugs. The agent advised and the advice was accepted, the buying of light, restful, paper, and rugs, with a warm of color since the rooms to be decorated were north ones.

One woman in St. Louis attended a demonstration and at the close told the agent that she was in despair because the amount of money she had to spend for food would not purchase the necessary amount. Upon the suggestion of the agent, she doubled her milk purchase, cut down that of meat, and increased the amount of fruit and vegetables. She returned to a subsequent meeting and reported that her money not only purchased a sufficient amount of food, but that the family felt better for the change of diet.

Among the negro women the complaints of not sufficient money for food and clothing are more frequent. The negro demonstration agent helped one despairing woman by rescuing five pairs of children's shoes from the discard, half-soling them, adding new buttons and putting them back in service.

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MISSOURI CROP CONDITIONS GOOD

WHEAT HOLDING WELL AT 101 PER CENT OF NORMAL ON 4,217,500 ACRES

TWO WEEKS BEHIND HERE

Present Cool Weather Checking Rank Growth of Wheat.—Live Stock Conditions Good.—Harvest Early This Year.

Jefferson City, May 13.—The condition of wheat in Missouri is holding well at 101 per cent of normal upon the 4,217,500 acres going towards harvest, indicating a yield of 71,423,000 bushels, is the joint report of E. A. Logan and Jewell Mayes, of the U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates and State Board of Agriculture.

In Nodaway county the acreage of wheat seeded, last fall, was 53,190 acres; no abandoned acreage. In 1918 the twine requirements were 2¾ lbs. per acre. Condition of wheat to be harvested, 105 per cent. Spring sowing and planting, 4 per cent completed Pasture, 93 per cent. Oats, 89 per cent. Potatoes, 89 per cent.

The abandonment of six tenths of 1 per cent of the seeded acreage, 4,243,000, is the smallest in years. The acreage going towards harvest is 37 per cent more than last year, with a prospect for a yield of 38 per cent more than 1918. The present condition of 101 per cent is the best May condition since 1901, when it was 102 with final return of 15.9 bushels per acre. The farm value of 71,423,000 bushels, at the government guarantee is $157,844,830.

The present condition of wheat has been exceeded but once and equalled but twice in the last 37 years. During these years the final outcome at at harvest was the same as the May indications for 2 years, greater for 9, and less for 26 years. Following these years, wheat may be expected to lose about 8 points from May to harvest, resulting in 15.9 bushels per acre and a yield of 66.63, 500 bushels. Last May was 95 per cent. Wheat lost two points during the past month, due to a three weeks' drouth in the southern and eastern portions of the state with frost and freezing at scattering points. Wheat is rank, with danger from lodging but the present cool weather checks growth. The outlook is exceedingly good with plenty of moisture to carry the crop through to harvest. Insects almost wholly absent. Harvest will be earlier than usual, as heading will soon begin. Straw will be heavy, requiring a larger amount of twine than usual. Upon the basis of 2.11 pounds per acre for 1918, requirements will be 8,898,900 pounds.

The acreage of hay 94 per cent of 1918 and the condition is 87 per cent. Prospects good in the northwest and north central, and poor through thruout the middle sections to very bad in the southwest. The portion of 1918 crop on hand is 9 per cent or 242,100 tons, less than half aMy ,1918.

Plowing is 76 per cent completed against 34 per cent April 1 and 80 per cent for 1918. Spring seeding and planting is 62 per cent completed as against 50 per cent for 1918 and 10 year average. In the northwest section spring work has been retarded by heavy rains and continued cool weather, and by drouth in the eastern and outhern sections. Pasture is 86 per cent normal, with fine grazing in the northwest and blue grass heading with good prospect for seed, while in most of the southern and eastern sections pasturage has been short from lack of rains, but now relieved.

The acreage of oats has been reduced from 1918, due to heavy fall wheat acreage and lateness of the season. Condition is 83 per cent, stand not good with but little growth, having been too dry in all but the northwest and much of the crop in the southwest will be too short for grain. Acreage of potatoes has been but little reduced this year. Condition 80 per cent and backward because of season. In various sections plants were cut by frost and bugs are very bad.

Condition of live stock is good. Feed was scarce during the winter and grass short so far. Condition of horses 97 per cent, cattle and sheep 96, and hogs 95. Crop reporters estimate the death rate of hogs per thousand is 44, of which 24 is from cholera and 20 from other diseases. Considerable loss of pigs this spring, nd of older hogs, throughout the fall and winter, from unknown swine diseases. Cholera is under better control, due to the active co-operation of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Husbandry, the state veterinarian, and the College of Agriculture, training farmers how to control cholera by vaccination and sanitary, practices. Losses from cholera are heaviest in counties where stock runs at large. Most losses among sheep have been from scab, among lambs from exposure, but the lamb crop is satisfactory.

General crop conditions are good. Prospects in the northwest are two weeks behind, in the northeast for record-breaking crops. Recent frosts have done considerable damage to fruits and gardens. The cool spell retarded growth, but rains are very welcome. Corn planting is well advanced, except in the north where in many communities but little has been accomplished, due to rains. Extra effort is being made to produce abundant crops.

Suggestions for Graduation Gifts.

FOR YOUNG MEN

—Hosiery
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—Silk Shirts
—Pajamas
—Suit Cases
—Club Bags

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LETTER FROM A NAVAL ENSIGN

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they performed so wonderfully, I am profoundly moved by a feeling of sorrow and of gladness. Sorrow because out from among ours there should be the departing of those who we knew so well, and that the stern power should pluck them in the bud of their young manhood.

"And glorious must their triumph be."

Glad that they were so willing to die, and that they gave their lives for the greatest thing on earth—their country. And that which caused them to give, namely the freedom of the world, has through that they gave become to be a reality. They gave with out regret, save the regret that they had but one life to give to their country.

As I write these few words, and look down the recesses of many broken hearts, well do I understand how cold and distant these words of mine must be to those who have suffered such a loss. But we suffer with you and your loss has softened our hearts, and made us to understand.

I know that those of you that have suffered such a loss, smile when you are approached on the subject, and say that you are proud that you had something to give to your country that was worth while. And true enough you gave something that was worth while. What a noble attitude, and hearts like that are the corner stone of the nation. Yet the pains of separation shall live with you. Time of course will lighten your burdens some but the vacant chair shall never be forgotten. But rather serve as a reminder to us all that we should be the more careful and the more wisely live lives of usefulness.

Those who shall from time to time look upon that flag with the stars of gold around the field of blue, will know that it stands as a memorial to those who payed their full price for humanities sake, and that they were from your own fold. The very pride of your house hold, and the example of the wonderful training that you gave to them.

But we must withdraw from these new made graves, for they would not have us forget the duties that are before us. The men whom we love lie there beside all the patriots that have lived since the finger of God created life. But gloriously and worthy did they die. In life they were united with us, in death they are not divided.

All the books and literature of the earth may pass away, all of the troubled history may vanish and blow away in the dust of time. Even this craft that we call earth with all of its beauty may melt like the snow flake before the southern sun, and all that is life now may be crushed before the moth, and fade into nothing like the cloud peak from the azure of view. These may all die away beyond the unexplainable elements of time, yes, even to such a state when time shall be forever lost. But the deeds which these young lads so nobly gave their lives for, shall live when every thing else has been lost somewhere beyond that space of time which we call the last day.

They lived and labored in the hope of service, and they died that that hope might prove a blessing to man. Surely such an example shall chasten our lips and minds, guile our actions, clear our vision, give us hope, inspire us with a renewed courage. And above all make us willing at all times, and not only willing but also able to meet Democracy's great test and to our days be true.

Yours in the service,
JNO. KEY ROSS,
U. S. N. New York City, N. Y.

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Sweet Potato Plants, red white and yellow, at 75c per 100; $7.00 per 1,000.

Plenty of other Vegetable Plants also ready.

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You Summer Suit—
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Thinking of vacation—of balmy mountain zephyrs—of lake or ocean breezes?

And of clothes for those days of relaxation? If you are and want to anticipate them, come and see the new Verite Suits for summer wear—just arrived.

Verité
SUITS & COATS

New? Paris and New York present their latest in these cleverly styled and attractively made suits. You ll enjoy seeing them and delight in their charm and individuality.

Reasonably priced, too.

This model, No. 318 is made of Sylvanette Tricolette—a new fabric particularly suitable for sport wear. Silk tassels finish throw-over and fide belt of same material. Attractive poekets are button trimmed. Straight line skirt.

Haines
The Store Quality and Low Prices Built.

Card of Thanks.

We thank our friends for their kindness and flowers durnig the sickness and death of our daughter and grand-daughter.

MR. and MRS. ALIVIA CHAPPELL.
MR. and MRS. J. C. CHAPPELL.

Eat a plate of Ice Cream every day at Orear's Drug Store. 13-15

PHYSICALLY FIT AT ANY AGE

It isn't age, it's careless living that puts men "down and out." Keep your internal organs in good condition and you will always be physically fit.

The kidneys are the most overworked organs in the human body. When they break down under the strain and the deadly uric acid accumulates and crystallizes look out! These sharp crystals tear and scratch the delicate urinary channels causing excruciating pain and set up irritations which may cause premature degeneration and often do turn into deadly Bright's Disease.

One of the first warnings of sluggish kidney action is pain or stiffness in the small of the back, loss of appetite, indigestion or rheumatism.

Do not wait until the danger is upon you. At the first indication of trouble go after the cause at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They will give almost immediate relief. If for any cause they should not, your money will be refunded. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. None other is genuine. In sealed boxes, three sizes.

Prof. John Kirker Sawyers, principal of the Silver City, Ia., high school, accompanied by Glen Bryant, a student of that school, came Saturday to spend the week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sawyers, and to attend the track meet.

Hardings Ice Cream at Orear's Drug Store. 13-15.

WHY, WHERE'S OSWALD?
OSWALD IS UPSTAIRS IN BED!
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH HIM - IS HE SICK?
NO, HE'S NOT SICK! HE WAS HEARD SWEARING IN THE STREET AND I SENT HIM TO BED.
CICERO, DON'T BE CRUEL NOW!
SWEARING, WAS HE? I'LL TEACH HIM TO SWEAR!!
HEE HEE!
I THINK THAT WILL BE ENOUGH FOR ONE LESSON, MY DEAR!
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BLUE STREAK
SPUT!
SPUT!
-P.S.-
(PROFANITY STOPPED!)

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 688

Mrs. Longstreth to Lecture.

Mrs. J. W. Longstreth, who is here representing an educational health movement for women, will give a lecture and chart talk at the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. After the lecture the ladies of the Aid society will serve a light luncheon for a small sum.

Mrs. David Surprised.

Mother's Day was observed at the home of Mrs. Alverda David of Ravenwood Sunday, when her children and their families gave her a surprise basket dinntr. Those present, including five children and twelve grandchildren were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Logan and family of Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. George David and family of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Lester David and family, Mr. and Mrs. Perry David and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shube Coffelt and family and Tom David. Mrs. David has one daughter living at a distance, who was not present.

Surprise Mrs. Mowry.

Friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mowry, Sunday to celebrate Mrs. Mowry's birthday. Mrs. Mowry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barrett of Graham. After partaking of a delicious repast, the time was spent in games and music. Those present were John Mowry and family, George Baer and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kime, Mrs. Wm. Mowry, Everett Mowry, Clement Dougherty and family, Tom Mowry and family, Peter Turnell and family, Marvin Keller and family, Miss Wagner, Anne Kime, Gerald and Otis Mendenhall, Evelyn and Della Kelly, Harry Barrett and family, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barrttt.

A. C. Alumni Meeting.

The Association of Collegiate alumni will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the Conservatory. All members are urged to be present, as it is the last meeting of the year.

Entertain at Diner.

Mrs. M. V. Zenor and daughter, Miss Helen Zenor, entertained with a dinner last night at their home. Their guests were Mrs. Elmer E. Faris, Mrs. Thana Hope, Miss Mary Boggs and Charlotte Welchel.

For Idaho Visitors.

Mr.and Mrs. Arch Frank entertained at dinner at their home, Sunday noon for Mr. and Mrs. Bert Colwell and small daughter, Katherine, of Twin Falls, Idaho. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad and Eva Margaret Frank.

For Miss Mack.

Misses Laura and Sue Young entertained Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Anderson in honor of Miss Alma Mack, who has taught at Bedison for the past term. The evening was spent in games, the prize going to Miss Jenson. Refreshments were servtd by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Young. Those present were Emma Jenson, May and Etta Evans, Lola Coulter, Lettie and Ethel Kidd, Nellie Thompson, Fred Coulter, Lehman and Fred Hansen, Cecil Stewart, Ed and Ray Jenson, Fred Barsballe, Ferril Thompson, Roy Evans, Ed and Alvin Thompson, and the honor guest.

Entertain With Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ross entertained at a dinner party Sunday noon at their home in Ravenwood. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kessler and daughter, Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Jose Kessler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Woodburn and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Nelson and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirkbride and son, Frank Ross and daughter, Leola, Mrs. Francis Ross, Mrs. Wm. Bentley of Colorado, and Miss Ethel Ross. During the afternoon a group picture was taken of the four generations present, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Ida Kessler, Ralph Kessler and daughter, Marie. Sunday evening guests at the Ross home wre Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose and daughter, Lyda, and Misses Etta and May Evans of Bedison.

20th Century Benefit.

The Twentieth Century club will present Tom Moore in "The Man and His Money," at the Empire tomorrow night for the benefit of the Phoebe J. Ess scholarship. The club at a recent meeting decided to give $50 to the fund.

Ten years ago through the efforts of Mrs. Henry N. Ess of Kansas City, the Missouri State Federation of Women's clubs voted to start a loan fund whereby young women of this state who were without means might be enabled to obtain college educations. Last week at the biennial meeting of the federation in St. Louis, Mrs. Ess reported the growth of that fund to $6,000 and announced the fact that 70 young women now are filling creditable positions in the world as a result of the eudcation they were able to obtain through the aid of Missouri club women.

May Day Party.

The freshmen and juniors will entertain the faculty and students of the Normal at a May Day party to be given on the campus tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Some of the features of the party will be three May pole dances, crowning of the May queen and various contests. Any Maryville people wishing to see this program may come out to the campus.

W. C. O. F. Installation.

The W. C. O. F. held their installation of officers in the Forresters' club rooms on Monday evening. The following were installed: Mrs. Mary Cummins chief ranger; Mrs. Bridget Heffern, vice chief ranger; Mrs. Sallie Bluel, recording secretary; Mrs. Maggie Lahr, financial secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Midyett, treasurer; Mrs. Nellie Tobin, Mrs. Mary Aetna Behm and Miss Nellie Lynch, trustees; Miss Vivian Buhler and Miss Margaret Heffern, conductors; Mrs. Mary McNellis and Mrs. Margaret McCall, sentinels. Mrs. John Gross was iniatiated in the order. After the meeting a delicious banquet was served during which Victrola music was enjoyed.

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Mrs. J. E. Scott of Clio, Ia., mother of Mrs. J. R. Lowry, is spending a week at the Lowry home, 520 West First street.

Pictorial Review Patterns

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Children's
Mary Newton Dresses

Children's Dresses, that are exclusive models and designs. A special effort was made by the manufacturer to produce tasty and dainty dresses and the proper harmonizing of colors. The materials are best quality Gingham and the perfect fit of each garment is guaranteed Each garment bears the Mary Newton label.

Priced at $2.50 and $2.75

The Kitchen Cabinet That saves miles of steps

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Youth comes but once. Shall it tarry or depart quickly?

Saving Work Is Saving Youthfulness

Kitchen drudgery is the element that banishes youthfulness quickest and makes the housewife old before her time. But kitchen work need not destroy woman's charms. Science leaves no excuse for weariness of mind and body. The Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet will banish drudgery and make home tasks enjoyoble.

The Hoosier is not a mere storage place; not a work table. It is not man's idea but a scientific labor-saving machine developed by women for women. It contains every wanted convenience—every practical device.

In spite of its high quality and great convenience. Hoosiers are moderately priced.

OUR REGULAR 10 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON HOOSIERS AS WELL AS ALL OTHER GOODS IN OUR STORE

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Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Spring Footwear

HAVE you secured your Spring Oxfords? We say oxfords because oxfords are the dainty, practical leaders in the spring styles.

Our stock now comprises the black, brown, and white oxfords that are distinguished for their lightness, grace and fine fitting qualities. You will find real pleasure in such oxfords as we now have on display for your approval, made in dull, glazed, brown and white kid, and soft chrome patent leather. The Louis heels, the Cuban heels, the Military heels and the flat common-sense heels are all represented in the new styles.

Pumps and boots in new spring styles are also here to choose from.

All are very moderately priced considering the quality and market conditions.

See the special assortments of broken lots of slippers which have been arranged for easy selection.

Children's Slippers

In securing the spring footwear the needs of the children were kept constantly in mind and a complete assortment of nobby slippers for the miss and child has been collected. Particular mother will find just what they want in children's footwear at this store and at the right price.

Bring the children and have them fitted.

Hosiery of Merit

Low cut footwear demands fine stockings. Aur extensive spring assortment is made up of leading brands of hosiery made in the U. S. A. —The Wayne Knit, Phoenix, Gordon and Topsy hose are all represented in our new assortment.

Silk hose of fine texture, fibre silk hose, lisle and cotton in black, white and colors are here in abundance.

Ladies' silk stocking, at the pair ..... $1.00 to $3.00

Ladies' lisle stockings, at the pair ..... 50c to $1.00

Ladies' cotton hose, at the pair ..... 19c and up.

We feature the Pony hose for boys and girls. Mothers who have trouble finding hose that will stand the wear and yet be good looking will find a solution to their problem in the Pony stockings. Those who have tried them need no explanation, those who have not need only to try a pair to be convinced of the qualities of this famous "Pony stocking."

SPECIAL—By a special purchase we have a large assortment of black, white and colored fibre stockings for women, assorted sizes, seconds with slight imperfections scarcely noticeable. These are being placed on a table in the west aisle, at a special price of, the pair.....59c

NEW STATE ROADS

(Continued from page 1)

receive aid on two roads under that part of the act that gives to the counties $1,200 per mile without cost.

Now, in order that all will fully understand, it does not follow that the $1,200 per mile will be spent on any state road unless the $1,200 per mile is ample to build a road substantial in character that will take care of the needs of the community, taking into consideration the population; traffic and road materials at hand; always remembering that all projects for road improvement must meet with the approval of the State Highway Department and the Bureau of Public Roads.

Where counties, civil sub-divisions or interested parties provide for their own surveys at their cost, it will mean just that much more money to be spent in their locality.

For the Sweet Girl Graduate

Say It With Flowers

The Engelmann Greenhouses

Phone 17 1001 S. Main St

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Entertainment at Hopkins.

Miss Flo Hunter presented the Hopkins High School Girls Glee club in a recital held at the Hopkins Christian church last night. The entertainment consisted of vocal solos, duets, quartettes and double quartettes with several selections by the Glee Club ensemble. There were also several readings

Guilford Chautauqua Course.

Guilford has contracted with the United Chautauqua Co., Travers, Newton & Wick of Des Moines, Ia., for a three days' chautauqua course to be given Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 1, 2 and 3.

Carl Wray of Guilford spent yesterday here on business.

JUDGE MAKES ERRONEOUS PREDICTION REGARDING LAWYER.

"About one clean shirt is all I thought he would ever wear. He had fallen away to a mere shadow; was as yellow as saffron and often doubled up with pain. Dortors continually gave him morphine and were about to operate for gall stones. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy quickly restored him to perfect health again." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One doese will convince or money refunded. —Maryville Drug Co.

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Classified ads running three days o. more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money w th the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—
Life Insurance.
Buy it of Brewer.

FOR kSALE—One 4-yr-old black mare mule, broke, gentle, 16 hands high. Jas. Hays. A23tf

FOR SALE—All my property at a bargain for quick sale. Desirable for retired farmer. Mrs. S. C. Alden, 517 No. Water St., Maryville. Mo. A15-M14*

BRIGHTEN UP YOUR FURNITURE with Sherwin Williams varnish. It's wonderful. Elmer A. Holt Implement Co. 13-15

FOR SALE—Do you want a good little farm under irrigation in California. I have one for sale. Write for particulars. J. B. Kroetch, Willows, Cal. A10-M9.

FOR SALE—A Ford Roadster, in good running condition. Maryville Electric Lt. & Pr. Co. Empire Theater Bldg. A17tf.

FOR SALE—Early cabbage, tomato, and tobacco plants, 15c dozen, $1.00 per 100. Yellow Jersey sweet potatoes 75c per 100. Mail orders filled promptly. Earl Kissinger, Maryville, Han. 874. A28tf.

FOR SALE—New Violin, case and set steel strings. Hanamo 6209. 13-15*

FOR SALE—One Overland, five passesnger touring car in good condition. C. C. Hellmers. M2tf.

FOR SALE—Refrigerator. Price, $7.00—worth the money. 503 S. Vine St. Hanamo 446. 13-15*

FOR SALE—5-year-old sorrel horse. Robert Mozingo, 1324 East First St. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Early tomato plants, 15c per dozen., $1.00 per hundred. Mango and pimento peppers, 20c per doz. Nancy Hall and Yellow Jersey sweet potato plants, 75c per hundred. Postage prepaid on orders of $3.00 or over. Walter Johnson, Pickering, Mo. M 10 tf

FOR SALE—One yearling thoroughbred registered Hereford bull. Mrs. W. T. Nelson, Guilford. Mo. 10-13*

FOR QUICK SALE—To move within the next ten days we will make the right prices on the following new cars and trucks. One 3-4 to 1 ton Kissel truck. One 2 to 2½ ton Kissel truck. One 100 point 6 Kissel Touring car. One Big 6 Kissel silver touring. Cash or installments. Armstrong Auto Co., 1515 Buchanan Ave., St. Joseph, Mo.

FOR SALE—Cheap, folding bed in good condition, both phones 282. 10-13*

FOR SALE—At a bargain, threshing machine rig. Write Box 146. Maryville, Mo. 10-13

FOR SALE—A cement plant in good condition. Price right. C. S. Abbott, Elmo, Mo. 12-14.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

HOUSE FOR RENT — Close in. hon Hanamo 556. 3-11 tf

FOR RENT—6 room residence, 123 East First, nice home, close in, possession May 15. J. A. Ford. 17tf.

FOR RENT—6 room house with bath and basement, 123 South Buchanan Inquire of W. Linneman. 3-9*

FOR RENT—1 large room furnished or light housekeeping, modern except eat. Would prefer couple of working irls. Cheap if taken at once. Call Hanamo 4533. 12-14

FOR RENT—Two rear office rooms over South Side Bakery. Inquire Miss Schenck, 528 West Fourth, Hanamo 683. 10-17

FOR RENT—Modern rooms, with or without light housekeeping. Martin flats. 216 E 3rd St. Hanamo 3041. M13tf

WANTED

WANTED—Lawn Mowers to sharpen and repair. Armstrong's Foundry. M1tf.

FOUND—Rosary. Call at this office. 10-13

HAIL DAMAGES CROPS. Protect yourself NOW by insuring with R L. McDougal 8tf.

WANTED—All kinds of junk and junk cars—will pay highest prices. Call Hanamo 232 or Farmers 75. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. M7tf

WANTED—Music pupils, 321 West Fifth St. 12-14*

Cash for Old False Teeth (Broken or not). We pay $2.00 to $35.00 per set. Also actual value for Diamonds, Watches, Bridgework, Crowns, Old Gold, Silver and Platinum. Send at once and receive cash by return mail. Your goods returned if price is unsatisfactory. Mazer Bros. W-2007 S. 5th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 12-24*

SALESMAN WANTED—A growing local concern has an opening for a young man with ability to develop intoa real salesman. This is a commission proposition to start, other arrangements when ability is demonstrated. Previous experience not essential, but a knowledge of bookkeeping would be beneficial. For personal interview address P. O. Box 193, City. 13-15*

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, May 13.—May corn, $1.70½; July, $1.66 7-8; September, $1.56¼.

Chicago, May 13.—Cattle, 8,500; Hogs, 21,000; Sheep, 11,000.

St. Joseph, May 13.—Cattle, 2,500; Hogs, 5,000; top $20.75, steady; Sheep, 5,000.

Kansas City, May 13.—Cattle receipts, 11,000; steers $14 @ $16.10. Cows, $9.12 @ $9.50. Hogs, 19,000, top $20.80, bulk $2060.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs	39c
Butter Fat	56c
Hides, per pound	14c
Hens, epr pound	25c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Old roosters, per lb	14c

FOR SALE—At the Maryville Seed Store where you can get all kinds of seeds from the Seedy Man. Seed Corn, per bu., $5.00; Soja Beans, $5.60; Cane Seed, $2.00; Victory Millet, $2.50; Sudan Grass, $12.50; Kaffir Corn, $4.00; Rape Seed, $6.25; Alfalfa Seed, $15.00; Timothy Seed, $6.50. Plenty of all kinds of garden seeds and feeds at living prices. R. S. Braniger.

Malvern Brothers Return.

E. R. Malvern, 1103 L. Squadron, who has been in France for the last 17 months, returned to his home in Quitman yesterday, having received his discharge at Camp Dodge, Ia., the day before. A brother, Warren Malvern, came home last week from overseas service and another brother, John is still located in France but is expected home next month. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Malvern of Quitman.

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Attend Baptist Meetings.

Rev. W. C. Ferguson and I. E. Tebow went to Burlington Junction Sunday afternoon attending a meeting of the Baptist denomination held at the home of a member. There is no church in Burlington Junction but regular meetings are held on Sundays at the homes. Rev. W. H. Leyburn closed a successful series of meetings in Burlington Junction last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Raines, accompanied by Bert Colwell of Twin Falls, Idaho, who is visiting Maryville relatives, drove to Tarkio today to attend the celebration in honor of Company A and all other soldiers and sailors of Atchison county. Miss Mary Margaret Richey also went to Tarkio today for the celebration and will remain for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Trout, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Curfman.

Miss Dorothy DeMoss of Stanberry and Miss Mabel Black of Savannah were track meet guests at the home of Mrs. Emma DeMoss.

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Preferred "Motorhouse."

In England during the early days of motor vehicles, there was a decided preference for the name "motorhouse" rather than "garage."

An Advantage.

Another advantage of tortoise shell glasses is that they cover up a good deal of face.—Kansas Industrialist.

Failure.

When a man lacks principal he naturally fails from lack of interest.

Daily Thought.

Man is one world and hath another to attend him.—Herbert.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Red Cross Notes

All persons who have yarns in process of knitting, kindly make an effort to complete ame by June 1st, as we want to get all finished articles to headquarters not later than June 10th. This includes refugee garments and any other garments that have been placed in the county on quota.

Found—During the Junior Bazaar at the eRd Cross, a ladies gold watch was found. Party may have same by describing same.

The Three Crosses.

The iron cross is black as death and hard as human hate;
The wooden cross is white and still and whispers us, "Too late;"
But the Red Cross sings of life and love and hearts regenerate.

The iron cross is Boastful cross and marks a war-made slave;
The wooden cross is a dumb, dead cross and guards a shallow grave;
But the Red Cross reaches out its arms to solace and to save.

The iron cross is a kaiser's cross and narrow is its clan;
The wooden cross is soldiers' cross and mourns its partisan;
But the Red Cross is the Cross of One who served his fellowman.

—Edmund Vance Cook.

Reasons for Home Hygiene

An international health conference is soon to be held in Geneva, Switzerland, at which a program to banish all preventable diseases from the world will be prepared. One of the medical representatives who is to attend this conference has stated that the influenza epidemic is liable to recur. In the opinion of many medical authorities, a second world calamity from this scourge is more than probable. That is why women the world over must be prepared. They must know at least the principles of hygiene. They must know how to care intelligently for the sick in their families.

All the nations of the world look upon public health education as the prime necessity of the day. Delegates from every country are going to Geneva to establish a sound basis for the dissemination of health teaching. We cannot afford to ignore what the whole world is working for. Public health knowledge can be the asset of every woman, through the courses provided by the Red Cross in Home. **Hygiene and Care of the Sick.**

Clothing and Equipment Retained

Certain articles of clothing and equipment may be permanently retained by enlisted men of the army upon honorable discharge and the clothng may be worn by them thereafter. Any man who served in the United States Army during the present war, honorably discharged or furloughed to the Reserves since April 6, 1917, who has restored to the Government any articles included in this equipment, or to whom for any reason they were never issued, may make application for such articles to the Domestic Disbursing Branch, Office of the Director of Storage, Washington D. C., whereupon similar clothing and uniforms, in kind and value as nearly as may be, will be restored to him. The application will state the size required and will be accompanied by an affidavit made before any civil or military official authorized to administer oaths, setting forth the soldier's record of service since April 6, 1917, the date and place of his discharge or furlough to the Reserves and certifying that none of the articles applied for were retained by him at the time of his discharge or furlough to the Reserves, or if retained that they may have been restored to the Government. Officers and men who have returned the gas masks and helmets may make similar application for these articles and they will be reissued if available. Any person who served with the United States Army during the present war may wear the uniform after discharge, provided that it shall include some distinctive mark to be prescribed by the Secretary of War. The red chevron prescribed to be worn by discharged enlisted men as a recognition of duty performed, is now also designated as the distinctive mark required by the Act permitting the retention of certain articles of clothing.

Unclaimed Allotment and Allowance.

Thousands of allotees are not receiving allotments and allowances on account of change of residence, incorrect address or other reasons, the checks being returned marked "Unclaimed" to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance. The American Red Cross, through its Home Service Sections, is endeavoring to obtain the present location and correct addresses of these allottees. We are sending tracers out from the Division Office. Please do not return these marked "Unable to locate" until you hve exhausted every means of locating these allottees by advertising in the local papers, making inquiries of neighbors, etc. Many families may be in distress because their checks have not been received and the information you furnish may mean the receipt of their allotments. The postmaster probably does not know thelocation of the allottee or he would not have returned the checks as unclaimed.

Canteen Committee Not to Accept Souvenirs from Soldiers.

In the enthusiasm of their reception by the Red Cross, the soldiers have occasionallly given to the women of the Canteen Committees souvenirs that they had brought with them from abroad. The members of the Canteen committee should not accept souvenirs of any kind from the men, for these souvenirs that they are bringing back should go to their families and there is apt to be disappointment if the soldiers do not bring these souvenirs that they have brought home from France to their relatives at home. Therefore it is not good policy for Canteen workers to accept gifts or souvenirs. The men should keep gifts for their own home people.

CHARLES P. PETTUS,
Director Canteen Service, S. W. Div.

Red Cross in the League of Nations.

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Emergency and the Red Cross.

We now see that the emergency does not necessarily end with the war. The nation has risen to a new sense of its responsibility for its defenders. The welfare of the returned soldier and his family must not be left to chance. The community to which he returns must be made fit for him to live in. Thus have "war-aims" been broadened till they have become plans for a new society.

One can see all this by studying the work of a great organization like the American Red Cross. It has been dealing with the emergencies created by the Great War, but it has been content with no temporary makeshifts. One feels that he is watching the beginning of a new and ordered national life. What a multitude of new activities directed by expert intelligence! It is the effective organization of the goodwill of the community.—Dr. Samuel McChord Crothers, in The Atlantic.

Obituary.

After being in ill health for more than a year, Chas. Benton Alexander passed away in death at the family home in Pickering, on the mroning of May 10, 1919. He was the son of John L. and Charlotta Alexander, and was born at Centerville, Ia., Oct. 29, 1871. At the age of three years he was brought by his parents to Nodaway county, where practically all the rest of his life was spent. On Dec. 28, 1892, he was married to Edith Gidden, who has proven herself a faithful wife, and who now mourns his departure.

Some eight years age he and his wife united with the Christian church at Blockton, Ia., and for some time he was superintendent of the Sunday School. Later they transferred their membership to Pickering, where they were in good standing at the time of his death. He was made a Free Mason in Iowa, and raised to the sublime degress of Master Mason. Some time ago he changed his membershop to Pickering. He wa salso a member of the I. O. O. F. and the Brotherhood of American Yeoman.

Besides his wife he is survived by three brothers and one sister. They are W. C. and T. J. Alexander of Pickering, J. E. of Lincoln, Neb., and Mrs. Arthur Adcock of Denver, Colo. On Sunday, May 11, at 3 o'clock, a large crowd assembled at the Pickering Christian church and listened to a funeral discourse by Elder W. A. Chapman, who assisted in the series by Rev. Dayhoff of the M. E. Church. The body was laid beside that of his father in Oak Hill ceemtery. The father preceded him in death just four weeks.

Glen Anderson Home Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Anderson will return tonight from Des Moines, Ia., where Mr. Anderson received his honorable discharge from service. He was a member of the 117th sanitary train and had been in overseas service almost two years. He enlisted in a Nebraska company. Mrs. Anderson went to Des Moines a week ago to meet her husband and to visit her brother, Jerry Sayler and wife. Mr. Anderson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson left this morning for Liberty to visit at the home of Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Phillips.

Judge J. M. Dawson is holding a special sesion of court at Albany today. T. A. Cummins is also in Albany on court business.

Edwin Bellows of Chicago is visiting with relatives in Maryville.

WM. COLE DEAD.

Funeral Services this Afternoon at the Methodist Church in Elmo.

Funeral services for William H. Cole, who died yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of a niece, Mrs. Walter Hull, in Elmo, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Elmo Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. Ragsdale.

Burial was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery by the side of his wife, who died six years ago. Mr. Cole was nearly 86 years old nd his death was caused by uremic poisoning. He had lived in in this county since 1874 and was the last one of a family of eight.

Hardings Ice Cream at Orear's Drug Store. 13-15.

In Devastated Regions of Belgium.

According to the St. Joseph News-Press, George Crowson, son of Dr. Crowson of Pickering, is a member of a party of newspaper men who are touring devastated regions in Belgium and France Six hundred persons are divided into groups of two hundred for the trip, which Crowson writes is a wonderful one. He expects to return home late in August or early in September.

Obituary.

Helen Louise, aged seven months and twenty-one days, died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J C Chappell, 422 South Hester street, Friday, May 9, 1919. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Chappell. The body was laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery.

Eat a plate of Ice Cream every day at Orear's Drug Store. 13-15

Miss Ruth Smith of St. Joseph, a nurse at Enrworth hospital, left this morning after a visit of several days with Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Burris.

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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GRADUATING CLASS EXERCISES AT M.H.S

CLASS DAY PROGRAM TO BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT—GRADUATE FRIDAY

TO HOLD CLASS PLAY

Rev. Snodgrass to Deliver Final Address to Class Friday Night—Presentation of Diplomas and Honors.

The class day exercises of the class 1919 of the Maryville High School will be held Thursday night at the School Auditorium, each member of the class taking part in the program which has been prepared.

The exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock with a group of songs by Miss Blance Alexander. Miss Sadie Neal will deliver the Valedictorian address and Miss Roberta Wells will give the Salutatory.

Following the talks, the class operetta, "Windmills of Holland" will be presented. The closing number will be a song by the chorus consisting of ten members of the class.

On Friday evening the graduating exercises will be held at the High School Auditorium, with Rev. R. E. Snodgrass delivering the Class address. The invocation will be given by Rev. W. C. Ferguson.

Principal L. E. Ziegler will present the class to the Board of Education, following which the award of the diplomas will be made by Mr. E. E. Williams. The final part of the exercises will be the awarding of the scholarships and honors by Supt. J. M. McDonald.

Following is the program which will be presented Thursday evening:

Part 1.

Groups of Songs—Blanche Alexander.
Salutatory—Roberta Wells.
Class Will—Alice Peery.
Piano Silo—Clio Coler.
Class Prophesy—Virgil Borrusch.
Valedictory—Sadie Neal.
Vocal Solo—Helen Burch.
Presentation of Gifts—Frank Russell.
Class Song.

Part 2.

Operetta—"Windmills of Holland".

Cast.

Mynherr Hertogenbosch, Rich Holland farmer—Frank Russell.

Vrouw Hertogenbosch, his wife—Odessa Wells.

Hilda Hertogenbosch, a daughter—Marie Price.

Wilhelmina Hertogenbosch, a daughter—Blanche Alexander.

Hans Hertogenbosch, student of music, in love with Wilhelmina—Clifford Hull.

Franz, rich farmer's son in love with Hilda—Creston Maul.

Bob Yankee, American Salesman—Harold Houchens.

Katrina, rich farmer's daughter—Stella Brown.

Chorus.

Melba Appleby, Vivian Lyle, Iva Williams, Thelma Hunt, Alice Peery, Mabel Cook, Mildred Shinabargar, Sadie Neal, Helen Burch, Pauline McDermott.

BAND BOYS DISCHARGED.

Many Maryville Boys Are Returning Home from Camp Custer, Mich.

Henry Buhler and Robert Bramble arrived in Maryville this morning from Camp Custer, Mich., where they have been with the band for the past number of months. These boys have been discharged from the army. Other Maryville boys, Charles Wallace, Orville Vert and Sam Mitchell, are expected to be home within the next few days.

Harold Maulding who was with the band has been discharged and is now in Chicago with his father, Bert Woodward, another of the boys, has a position at Beloit, Wis., and Ezra Phipps has a position at Beloit.

These boys left Maryville on August 5, 1917, and were first sent to Fort Sill, Okla., and then to Comp Custer. They were never overseas.

GERMAN WORK UNCOVERED IN CORK.

London, May 13.—A German revolver and several German cartridges were unearthed when the military authorities made a search among the Sinn Feiners at Cory today, said a Central News Dispatch from that city.

Three More Names for Flag.

The names of Jesse Anderson of Maryville, Joseph C. Farnan of Conception Junction and David T. Parmlee of Hopkins, have been added to the county service flag.

M[illegible] TEAM WINNER IN [illegible]T OF B.B. SEASON

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

Dete[illegible] on Sunday by 6 to [illegible] Good for Winni[illegible] Season.

The Maryvil[illegible]rals, the team which is to represe[illegible] this city on the baseball diamond during the coming summer, opened the season Sunday afternoon with a clean 6 to 2 win over the Burlington Junction Boosters on the latter's diamond.

The game was wel played throughout nd over five hundred fans were there to witness the opening tilt. Although it was their first appearance this season, the Maryville tossers were in mid season form and the indications are that the nine will develop into one of the fastest that has represented Maryville in many a moon.

Bluel, on the mound for Maryville, held his opponents to only three scattered hits, while the local boys garnered eight safe bingles off Monk's delivery.

The Burlington Junction supporters expected a walk-away at the opening of the game, but when the Maryville machine began to operate their enthusiasm dampened.

Prospects for the great national game are unusually bright this year in Maryville, and plans have already been made by the team supporters to obtain the Faid grounds for the local pastime lot.

All of the Fed players are experienced veterans of the game and included in the line-up are several well-known college and semi-pro stars. With the proper support the boys are sure to make their mark in northwest Missouri circles this summer. The line-up: Ferguson, ss; Buhler, cf; Adle, 3b; Black, c; Hise, lf; Scarlett, lf; Conley, 2b; Busby, rf; Bluel, p.

LETTER FROM A NAVAL ENSIGN

JOHN KEY ORSS OF THIS CITY, NOW IN SERVICE IN NEW YORK

PRAISE FOR THE HEROES

Although Held by Duty at Big Eastern City, Maryville Boy Appreciates Welcome to Returning Men.

John Key Ross of this city, now an Ensign in the United States Naval Auxiliary Reserve at New York City, N. Y. writes to the boys in the service. Ensign Ross states that he will be unable to return to this city for considerable time but that he is taking a keen interest in the home coming of the men. The letter follows:

To the Democrat-Forum:

I have noticed with pleasure the keen interest that the people of Nodaway are taking in making the home coming of the boys who have been in the service, a thing which shall long be remembered by all of them.

It is with deep regret that I am unable to be with the boys of Nodaway as they are welcomed back to the old friends and fireside. But the distance between us can not serve as a bulwark to my rejoicing with you upon such a notable occasion.

It is fitting that the public should pay the highest respect to those who have worn or do wear the uniform in this great war, and not only this war but all other wars in which the American blood has had a part. For we as a Nation can be proud of the fact that not a drop of our blood has been spent on the battle field for conquest.

So as the boys come marching home dressed in the uniform which all over the earth stands as the badge of courage, and the symbol of patriotic devotion surely the hearts of the American people shall ever hold with solemn pride that they were privileged to serve in a period of national need. And that they served without hesitation, and lost with out regret.

But while we rejoice for those who have come back to us, we must also be mindful of the fact that there are a number that shall not return to us again. And our hearts are touched with sorrow at the thought of it. They have gone west, and we can not carry on in these days with the thought that some who we knew and were dear to us, have payed with their lives the supreme sacrafice, laying upon the altar of their country their all.

As I read the names of those heroes and recalled the brave deeds which

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DR. STRAYER GIVES TALK ON EDUCATION

NOTED EDUCATOR TELLS BUSINESS MEN OF CONDITIONS

IS GUEST AT LUNCHEON

Will Speak This Afternoon at State Normal School—Urges Raise of Teachers' Salaries.

George D. Strayer, president of the National Sducational Association, professor of educational administration, Columbia Teachers' College and chairman of the Commission of the Emergency in Education, addressed the business men of the city at luncheon at noon today in the basement of the First M. E. Church, on educational conditions in this country.

"The war revealed to the school teachers, as well as the average citizen, defects in American education which we little suspected," Professor Strayer said. "We found one man in three could perform the general military tasks exacted of those in service. We learned that 20 per cent of the men drafted could not get ideas from a newspaper or write a letter home. It was discovered there were thousands of foreigners who could not understand a word of English.

"Most alarming was the discovery that one in every five teachers instructing the youth of America has had less than a high school education.

From the fact Doctor Strayer proceeded to give his proposition of effective organization in the teaching profession urging the two-fold task of carrying out a great educational program in America and making the people asquainted with the necessity for the program could be accomplished by only the organization of those who do the teaching. He pleaded for professional advancement through methods such as the Amreican Medical Association employs.

Professor Strayer said the remedies for the present conditions were adequate pay for teachers, raising the standard of qualifications for teachers, and having a department of education with a member of the cabinet. He spoke of the number of teachers who have gone to other work on account of being able to make more.

Mr. Strayer also pointed out that the best contribution this country can make is to break down the foreign caste in our midst. He told of several places over the country before the war where the chilren have not even been taught the English language.

Mr. Strayer is in Maryville visiting the State Normal School and giving a series of lectures there. He will leave this evening.

MINSTREL SHOW A SUCCESS

Crowded House Greeted Zero Club Show at the Empire Theater Last Night.

The Zero Club Minstrel show at the Empire theatre last night under the direction of Miss Besse Scott was a grand success. Every ticket had been sold several hours before the performance and there were forty-nine "standing" tickets sold, which is a new record for the theatre.

The first part of the show was the minstrels with Frank P. Reuillard as interlocutor. Many good songs were given which were heartily applauded.

The second part, a olio, consisted of many a good number and the acting of Miss Persis Hunt in the comedy sketch "The Table Tells," was very creditable.

BUYS McNEAL RESIDENCE.

Dr. H. S. Dowell of Clearmont Purchased Home Here.

Dr. H. S. Dowell of Clearmont has purchased the residence property of Charles McNeal on South Buchanan Street and will take possession about June 15. The consideration was $7,500 The deal was made through Holmes & Wolfert.

The Zero Club thanks you for your patronage last night.

If any person who purchased advance tickets was unable to secure a seat we will gladly refund money at Reuillard's.

ROLAND CURNUTT,
Secretary.

HIGH SCHOOL CADETS TO GIVE DRILL THURSDAY

Boys to Compete for Cup Donated by Prof. McDonald and Medals by Capt. H. D. Snyder—Grade School Boys to Compete.

The High School Cadets will give a public exhibition drill Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the State Normal athletic field in which the three cadet companies will compete for a silver cup which has been offered by Prof. McDonald, and for individual medals offered by Captain H. D. Snyder.

Preliminaries in the medal drill were held yesterday afternoon and were judged by Lieut. D. K. Seckington, U. S. R., Lieut Loren Price, M. H. G. and Sergt. John Mutz. Eight cadets were selected from each company to compete in the finals to be held Thursday.

A drill by the Grade school boys will also be put on Thursday.

PLAN TO BUILD NEW STATE ROADS

STATE IS TO BE DIVIDED INTO TWO DISTRICTS

COUNTIES REPRESENTED

District Engineer to Call Upon Each County and Advise on the Roads to Be Improved.

Jefferson City, May 13.—In order to acquaint the various counties, civil subdivisions and interested parties of the state who are interested in co-operating with the State Highway Department in the building of state roads in their respective counties and sub-divisions, and to appraise them of the policy so far dopted b ythe Department as to how to proceed under the amended Hawes law, the department authorizes the following sttaement.

The board organized by electing R. L. Sanford, chairman; George E. McInich, vice chairman; John M. Malang, state highway superintendent and ex-officio secretary of the board; Alexander W. Graham, state highway engineer; J. Russell Ellis, first assistant state highway superintendent, and Kirk McFarland, second assistant state highway engineer.

The department upon the advice of the engineer divided the state into two districts and will immediately place a residential engineer in each district, whose duty it will be to confer with the local authorities, view and lay out state roads, and advise with them as to the best method and policy to pursue to have the same surveyed as soon as possible. The department had laid out a tentative system of state roads to comply with the provisions of the amended Hawes law that will come under that part of the law that provides $1,200 per miles of state and federhal aid to be used without cost to the counties It will be the duty of the district engineer to call upon the various counties in their resepetive districts, view the roads after consulting local authorities and report to the highway department the feasibility of improving such roads and they will decide whether or not the roads viewed and agreed upon by the district engineer and the local authorities shall be improved as proved in the amended Hawes law in the 6,000 mile system. After the State Highway Department has acted upon the recommendation of the resident engineer he fill then advise with the counties, subdivisions or interested parties, the best method of having the road surveyed and plans prepared.

Under the provisions of the law the State Highway Department is authorized to make surveys and deduct the cost from the $1,200 per miles of such survey not to exceed $000 per mile. It also provides that a county, civil subdivision or interested party, may secure their own engineer and make their own survey at their cost, provided such survey complys with the requirements of the state Highway Department and meets with the approval of the Bureau o of Public Roads at Washington. The district engineer will advise with the counties and instruct them and their engineers as to the kind or survey and plans that will be required, and in no case should a county, civil sub-division of interested party, start such a survey until they have advised with the district engineer of the state hikhway engineer.

The law contemplates a road improved in each county before a county shall

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PLAN PENSION FOR BAPTIST PASTORS

MEETING TO BE HELD SUNDAY TO DISCUSS APPROPRIATION

PAY PASTORS POORLY

Comparative Table Shows Ministers to Receive an Average Lower Compensation Than the Trades.

Plans are being made at the Baptist church in this city for a meeting to be held next Sunday morning at which time the matter of raising money for the support of the aged ministers of the denomination will be discussed.

The Baptists of America have projected a plan to raise a $3,000,000.00 Endowment Fund for the support of their pastors and of this amount Missouri Baptists will raise $100,000.00. A certain amount of this has been apportioned to Northwest Missouri Baptist Association composed of Atchison, Holt and Nodaway counties. Other denominations are raising large sums of money to take care of their faithful ministers who have toiled at small pay all their lives and now have come to old age with no competence.

It is not known by all how the comparison of preachers salaries compare with workers of other callings and trades. The average salary of preachers by denominations is as follows:

Northern Baptists	$ 683.00
Southern Methodist	681.00
North Methodist	741.00
South Presbyterian	857.00
North Presbyterian	977.00
Disciples	526.00
United Brethren	547.00
Lutheran	744.00
Congregational	880.00
Reformed Church	923.00
Universalist	987.00
Unitarian	1,221.00

The average salary in some of the trades is as follows:

Bakery Workers	$ 804.00
R. R. Car Shop Workers	907.00
Photo Engravers	1,087.00
Soap Makers	1,107.00
Fancy Box Makers	1,145.00
Furniture Makers	1,194.00
Machine Shop Workers	1,257.00
Paint and Varnish Workers	1,441.00
Wall Paper Workers	1,508.00
Billard Table Workers	1,511.00
Paper and Pulp Workers	1,813.00
Carpet and Rug Makers	1,825.00
Pencil Makers	1,869.00
Moving Picture Men	1,918.00

Realizing the condition of affairs, the country is finding out that the public school teacher is receiving insufficient compensation. They also see that in order to secvre good teachers they must give them a fair compensation.

Realizing that in order to secure well trained men, who shall be able to lead not only in the religious life in the community but in the civic and social life, they must give their pastors a living wage and not force them to be beggars.

It is related that the aged and worn out Arabian priest is taken on horse back by younger co-laborers for a day's ride straight into the desert and there left with a crust of bread and a bone. His companions ride back to their habitation in silence. The priest passes away. Our denominations in America have determined to do better than the heathen to whom they are preaching the gospel.

In the near future the Maryville Baptist church will join in a campaign to raise their quota of this fund.

DENY STAND OF AM. LEGION

Announcement Made by Col. Lindsay Refutes Report That American Legion Supports Presidential Candidate or Anti-Prohibition Movement.

Washington, May 13.—A statement denying that the American legion which is now in convention in St. Louis has indicated any choice for candidate for president or that the caucus went on record as in favor of anti-prohibition, was issued this afternoon by Colonel Henry Lindsey, chairman of the League caucus.

Thomas F. Merrigan of Conception Junction was a city visitor today.

Miss Anne Cornell of Burlington Junction spent today with her brother, Jos. W. Cornell, annd family.

DR. COILE LEAVES FOR BIG ST. LOUIS MEETING

Local Pastor to Attend General Assembly of Presbyterian Church Next Week—Important Action to Come Up.

Dr. S. A. Coile of the Presbyterian church left last night for St. Louis where he will attend the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in that city next week. Dr. Coile will return the latter part of next week.

The New Era Movement will present to the General Assembly a comprehensive proposal for forward and uplift work, and overtures will be made by many presbyteries for radical action toward meeting the world problems of today. Woman Suffrage, Capital and Labor, the Inter church World Movement, Reclamation, Reconstruction work here and abroad, are among the matters to be considered.

MINSTREL SHOW AT ELK CLUB

Silas Buckthorn's Show Thursday Night at Club House, Followed by Dancing, for Members and Families.

Direct from a run of 100 nights at the Sunnybrook Grand Opera House, Silas Buckthorn's Minstrels, 40—count 'em—40 members, have been contracted for by the Elk's entertainment committee to make one, and only one appearance in Maryville. They will appear at the club house Thursday night. The committee was able to secure this celebrated company only because Maryville is on a direct line from Sunnybrook to Arkoe, where the Minstrels open a long run at the palatial Metropolitan.

The one and only Silas Buckthorn is universally acknowledged as the greatest buck and wing barn dancer in Nodaway coutny, and is supported by a company unrivalled for youth and beauty. The Gold Dust Twins; Little Ollie, the Cute Cut-up, and other features too numerous to mention make their performance the greatest ever seen in a city the size of Maryville.

This attraction was secured at great expense, and the committee appeal for a full attendance of the members and their families.

After the entertainment there will be dancing until the wee hours.

SAVANNAH MEET CALLED OFF

Republican Meeting of Fourth Congressional District called off Because of Extra Congress Session.

The Republican meeting of the Fourth Congressional district, which was to have been held tomorrow at Savannah, has been called off according to word issued by W. L. Cole, chairman of the state committee.

The meeting has been abandoned owing to the action of President Wilson in convening Congress May 10. Senator Selden P. Spencer, who was to have addressed the meeting, wishes to be in Washington for the Republican caucus Wednesday.

Plans Halted by Weather Conditions.

Trepassey Bay, May 13.—Unsettled weather over the Atlantic made it appear probable today that the two American sea planes would not jump off in the trans-Atlantic flight.

Chatham, Mass., May 13.—The hope of "hopping off" Cape Cod today was abandoned this afternoon by Seaplane NC-4 on account of the high winds.

Mr. and Mrs Richard Gray of Skidmore spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. F. P. Brown, and family

GERMANY READY TO SIGN TERMS

GERMAN ENVOYS LEAVE FOR BERLIN TO INFORM GOVERNMENT

ACTION BEFORE SUNDAY

"Big Four" Holds Meeting Today to Consider Austrian Question—Huns to Propose Substitute Paragraphs in Treaty.

Paris, May 13.—The German peace envoys, having agreed among themselves that they cannot secure a modification of the terms, will sign the peace treaty, according to confidential information reaching President Wilson today. Herr Lansberg and Herr Geborg, two members of the Teutonic mission, left Versailles for Berlin to inform the government of the decisions reached by the plenipotentiaries. Final conclusions and a definite course will be decided upon by the Germans before Sunday. The "Big Four" met again this morning to consider their consideration of the Austrian questions. It was reliably reported that the Germans have compiled a substitute for the eury-pay paragraphs of the peace treaty and that this document would be delivered to the Allies today. However the Entente Powers have taken the stand that there is no reason to believe that much time will be taken for a decision by the Germans on the terms that were handed to them at Versailles. It is believed, however, should the Germans seek to go to Omar, time would be given them to allow their government to set forth its official position.

Should the Teutonic envoys leave it is believed a solemn warning should be imposed upon them that delays for propaganda purposes would be dangerous.

Paris, May 13.—The meeting of the "Big Four" scheduled for this morning was called off just as some of the secretaries began arriving. The German delegates sent word that further communications which it will address to the Allies were not yet ready. The committee which is debating the Austrian treaty is not ready with its documents and there was therefore no business on the slate for the "Big Four."

London, May 13.—An eleventh hour clause inserted in the peace treaty providing that the three chief allies, America, Great Britain, France, could make the terms effective by signing the pact, said a Times dispatch today.

EXPECT FALL OF PETROGRAD.

Stockholm, May 3.—Petrograd is expected to fall to the Allied forces within the next few days, said a Helsingors dispatch today.

London, May 13.—Twenty British war ships have arrived at Helsingfors and it is believed that the Allies contemplate action against Petrograd.

Former Reichstag Leader Assassinated

Milan, May 13.—Dr. Navay, former president of the Hungarian Reichstag, was assassinated Monday while traveling on the train from Vienna to Budapest, according to a dispatch from the former city today.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, possibly showers in the southwest portion; not much change in temperature.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

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Alice Joyce, in

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A Vitagraph Feature, also a Sunshine Comedy.

TOMORROW—

Tom Moore, in

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Need Home Demonstrators.

The conviction that help may be gained from the services of a home demonstration agent is growing on the women of Missouri and is evidenced by the calls for assistance covering a wide range of duties on the part of the agent.

In one county the home demonstration agent was called upon to help select wall paper and rugs for three rooms. The paper that had been previously used was dark and of a large pattern, and the same description applied to the rugs. The agent advised and the advice was accepted, the buying of light, restful, paper, and rugs, with a warm of color since the rooms to be decorated were north ones.

One woman in St. Louis attended a demonstration and at the close told the agent that she was in despair because the amount of money she had to spend for food would not purchase the necessary amount. Upon the suggestion of the agent, she doubled her milk purchase, cut down that of meat, and increased the amount of fruit and vegetables. She returned to a subsequent meeting and reported that her money not only purchased a sufficient amount of food, but that the family felt better for the change of diet.

Among the negro women the complaints of not sufficient money for food and clothing are more frequent. The negro demonstration agent helped one despairing woman by rescuing five pairs of children's shoes from the discard, half-soling them, adding new buttons and putting them back in service.

SORE THROAT or Tonsilitis, gargle with warm salt water, then apply—

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MISSOURI CROP CONDITIONS GOOD

WHEAT HOLDING WELL AT 101 PER CENT OF NORMAL ON 4,217,500 ACRES

TWO WEEKS BEHIND HERE

Present Cool Weather Checking Rank Growth of Wheat.—Live Stock Conditions Good.—Harvest Early This Year.

Jefferson City, May 13.—The condition of wheat in Missouri is holding well at 101 per cent of normal upon the 4,217,500 acres going towards harvest, indicating a yield of 71,423,000 bushels, is the joint report of E. A. Logan and Jewell Mayes, of the U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates and State Board of Agriculture.

In Nodaway county the acreage of wheat seeeded, last fall, was 53,190 acres; no abandoned acreage. In 1918 the twine requirements were 2¾ lbs. per acre. Condition of wheat to be harvested, 105 per cent. Spring sowing and planting, 4 per cent completed Pasture, 93 per cent. Oats, 89 per cent. Potatoes, 89 per cent.

The abandonment of six tenths of 1 per cent of the seeded acreage, 4,243,000, is the smallest in years. The acreage going towards harvest is 37 per cent more than last year, with a prospect for a yield of 38 per cent more than 1918. The present condition of 101 per cent is the best May condition since 1901, when it was 102 with final return of 15.9 bushels per acre. The farm value of 71,423,000 bushels, at the government guarantee is $157,844,830.

The present condition of wheat has been exceeded but once and equalled but twice in the last 37 years. During these years the final outcome at at harvest was the same as the May indications for 2 years, greater for 9, and less for 26 years. Following these years, wheat may be expected to lose about 8 points from May to harvest, resulting in 15.9 bushels per acre and a yield of 66.63, 500 bushels. Last May was 95 per cent. Wheat lost two points during the past month, due to a three weeks' drouth in the southern and eastern portions of the state with frost and freezing at scattering points. Wheat is rank, with danger from lodging but the present cool weather checks growth. The outlook is exceedingly good with plenty of moisture to carry the crop through to harvest. Insects almost wholly absent. Harvest will be earlier than usual, as heading will soon begin. Straw will be heavy, requiring a larger amount of twine than usual. Upon the basis of 2.11 pounds per acre for 1918, requirements will be 8,898,900 pounds.

The acreage of hay 94 per cent of 1918 and the condition is 87 per cent. Prospects good in the northwest and north central, and poor through thruout the middle sections to very bad in the southwest. The portion of 1918 crop on hand is 9 per cent or 242,100 tons, less than half aMy ,1918.

Plowing is 76 per cent completed against 34 per cent April 1 and 80 per cent for 1918. Spring seeding and planting is 62 per cent completed as against 50 per cent for 1918 and 10 year average. In the northwest section spring work has been retarded by heavy rains and continued cool weather, and by drouth in the eastern and outhern sections. Pasture is 86 per cent normal, with fine grazing in the northwest and blue grass heading with good prospect for seed, while in most of the southern and eastern sections pasturage has been short from lack of rains, but now relieved.

The acreage of oats has been reduced from 1918, due to heavy fall wheat acreage and lateness of the season. Condition is 83 per cent, stand not good with but little growth, having been too dry in all but the northwest and much of the crop in the southwest will be too short for grain. Acreage of potatoes has been but little reduced this year. Condition 80 per cent and backward because of season. In various sections plants were cut by frost and bugs are very bad.

Condition of live stock is good. Feed was scarce during the winter and grass short so far. Condition of horses 97 per cent, cattle and sheep 96, and hogs 95. Crop reporters estimate the death rate of hogs per thousand is 44, of which 24 is from cholera and 20 from other diseases. Considerable loss of pigs this spring, nd of older hogs, throughout the fall and winter, from unknown swine diseases. Cholera is under better control, due to the active co-operation of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Husbandry, the state veterinarian, and the College of Agriculture, training farmers how to control cholera by vaccination and sanitary practices. Losses from cholera are heaviest in counties where stock runs at large. Most losses among sheep have been from scab, among lambs from exposure, but the lamb crop is satisfactory.

General crop conditions are good. Prospects in the northwest are two weeks behind, in the northeast for record-breaking crops. Recent frosts have done considerable damage to fruits and gardens. The cool spell retarded growth, but rains are very welcome. Corn planting is well advanced, except in the north where in many communities but little has been accomplished, due to rains. Extra effort is being made to produce abundant crops.

Suggestions for Graduation Gifts

FOR YOUNG MEN

—Hosiery
—Neckwear
—Collars.
—Collar Bags
—Gloves
—Handkerchiefs
—Silk Shirts
—Pajamas
—Suit Cases
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and many other articles in our haberdashery department that are sure to please.

Allow us the pleasure of helping you select something useful.

Montgomery--Cummins Clothing Company

LETTER FROM A NAVAL ENSIGN

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they performed so wonderfully, I am profoundly moved by a feeling of sorrow and of gladness. Sorrow because out from among ours there should be the departing of those who we knew so well, and that the stern power should pluck them in the bud of their young manhood.

"And glorious must their triumph be."

Glad that they were so willing to die, and that they gave their lives for the greatest thing on earth—their country. And that which caused them to give, namely the freedom of the world, has through that they gave become to be a reality. They gave without regret, save the regret that they had but one life to give to their country.

As I write these few words, and look down the recesses of many broken hearts, well do I understand how cold and distant these words of mine must be to those who have suffered such a loss. But we suffer with you and your loss has softened our hearts, and made us to understand.

I know that those of you that have suffered such a loss, smile when you are approached on the subject, and say that you are proud that you had something to give to your country that was worth while. And true enough you gave something that was worth while. What a noble attitude, and hearts like that are the corner stone of the nation. Yet the pains of separation shall live with you. Time of course will lighten your burdens some but the vacant chair shall never be forgotten. But rather serve as a reminder to us all that we should be the more careful and the more wisely live lives of usefulness.

Those who shall from time to time look upon that flag with the stars of gold around the field of blue, will know that it stands as a memorial to those who payed their full price for humanities sake, and that they were from your own fold. The very pride of your house hold, and the example of the wonderful training that you gave to them.

But we must withdraw from these new made graves, for they would not have us forget the duties that are before us. The men whom we love lie there beside all the patriots that have lived since the finger of God created life. But gloriously and worthy did they die. In life they were united with us, in death they are not divided.

All the books and literature of the earth may pass away, all of the troubled history may vanish and blow away in the dust of time. Even this craft that we call earth with all of its beauty may melt like the snow flake before the southern sun, and all that is life now may be crushed before the moth, and fade into nothing like the cloud peak from the azure of view. These may all die away beyond the unexplainable elements of time, yes, even to such a state when time shall be forever lost. But the deeds which these young lads so nobly gave their lives for, shall live when every thing else has been lost somewhere beyond that space of time which we call the last day.

They lived and labored in the hope of service, and they died that that hope might prove a blessing to man. Surely such an example shall chasten our lips and minds, guile our actions, clear our vision, give us hope, inspire us with a renewed courage. And above all make us willing at all times, and not only willing but also able to meet Democracy's great test and to our days be true.

Yours in the service,
JNO. KEY ROSS,
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Do It with The Garden

Sweet Potato Plants, red white and yellow, at 75c per 100; $7.00 per 1,000.

Plenty of other Vegetable Plants also ready.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
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Prof. John Kirker Sawyers, principal of the Silver City, Ia., high school, accompanied by Glen Bryant, a student of that school, came Saturday to spend the week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sawyers, and to attend the track meet.

Hardings Ice Cream at Orear's Drug Store. 13-15.

You Summer Suit—
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Thinking of vacation—of balmy mountain zephyrs—of lake or ocean breezes?

And of clothes for those days of relaxation? If you are and want to anticipate them, come and see the new Verite Suits for summer wear—just arrived.

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This model, No. 318 is made of Sylvanette Tricolette—a new fabric particularly suitable for sport wear. Silk tassels finish throw-over and fide belt of same material. Attractive pockets are button trimmed. Straight line skirt.

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Card of Thanks.

We thank our friends for their kindness and flowers durnig the sickness and death of our daughter and grand-daughter.

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PHYSICALLY FIT AT ANY AGE

It isn't age, it's careless living that puts men "down and out." Keep your internal organs in good condition and you will always be physically fit.

The kidneys are the most overworked organs in the human body. When they break down under the strain and the deadly uric acid accumulates and crystallizes look out! These sharp crystals tear and scratch the delicate urinary channels causing excruciating pain and set up irritations which may cause premature degeneration and often do turn into deadly Bright's Disease.

One of the first warnings of sluggish kidney action is pain or stiffness in the small of the back, loss of appetite, indigestion or rheumatism.

Do not wait until the danger is upon you. At the first indication of trouble go after the cause at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They will give almost immediate relief. If for any cause they should not, your money will be refunded. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. None other is genuine. In sealed boxes, three sizes.

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OSWALD IS UPSTAIRS IN BED!
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH HIM - IS HE SICK?
NO, HE'S NOT SICK! HE WAS HEARD SWEARING IN THE STREET AND I SENT HIM TO BED.
CICERO, DON'T BE CRUEL NOW!
SWEARING, WAS HE? I'LL TEACH HIM TO SWEAR!!
HEE HEE!
I THINK THAT WILL BE ENOUGH FOR ONE LESSON, MY DEAR!
+++!!!
BLUE STREAK
SPUT!
SPUT!
-P.S.-
(PROFANITY STOPPED!)

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Mrs. Longstreth to Lecture.

Mrs. J. W. Longstreth, who is here representing an educational health movement for women, will give a lecture and chart talk at the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. After the lecture the ladies of the Aid society will serve a light luncheon for a small sum.

Mrs. David Surprised.

Mother's Day was observed at the home of Mrs. Alverda David of Ravenwood Sunday, when her children and their families gave her a surprise basket dinntr. Those present, including five children and twelve grandchildren were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Logan and family of Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. George David and family of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Lester David and family, Mr. and Mrs. Perry David and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shube Coffelt and family and Tom David. Mrs. David has one daughter living at a distance, who was not present.

Surprise Mrs. Mowry.

Friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mowry, Sunday to celebrate Mrs. Mowry's birthday. Mrs. Mowry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barrett of Graham. After partaking of a delicious repast, the time was spent in games and music. Those present were John Mowry and family, George Baer and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kime, Mrs. Wm. Mowry, Everett Mowry, Clement Dougherty and family, Tom Mowry and family, Peter Turnell and family, Marvin Keller and family, Miss Wagner, Anne Kime, Gerald and Otis Mendenhall, Evelyn and Della Kelly, Harry Barrett and family, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barrttt.

A. C. Alumni Meeting.

The Association of Collegiate alumni will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the Conservatory. All members are urged to be present, as it is the last meeting of the year.

Entertain at Diner.

Mrs. M. V. Zenor and daughter, Miss Helen Zenor, entertained with a dinner last night at their home. Their guests were Mrs. Elmer E. Faris, Mrs. Thana Hope, Miss Mary Boggs and Charlotte Welchel.

For Idaho Visitors.

Mr.and Mrs. Arch Frank entertained at dinner at their home, Sunday noon for Mr. and Mrs. Bert Colwell and small daughter, Katherine, of Twin Falls, Idaho. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad and Eva Margaret Frank.

For Miss Mack.

Misses Laura and Sue Young entertained Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Anderson in honor of Miss Alma Mack, who has taught at Bedison for the past term. The evening was spent in games, the prize going to Miss Jenson. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Young. Those present were Emma Jenson, May and Etta Evans, Lola Coulter, Lettie and Ethel Kidd, Nellie Thompson, Fred Coulter, Lehman and Fred Hansen, Cecil Stewart, Ed and Ray Jenson, Fred Barsballe, Ferril Thompson, Roy Evans, Ed and Alvin Thompson, and the honor guest.

Entertain With Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ross entertained at a dinner party Sunday noon at their home in Ravenwood. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kessler and daughter, Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Jose Kessler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Woodburn and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Nelson and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirkbride and son, Frank Ross and daughter, Leola, Mrs. Francis Ross, Mrs. Wm. Bentley of Colorado, and Miss Ethel Ross. During the afternoon a group picture was taken of the four generations present, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Ida Kessler, Ralph Kessler and daughter, Marie. Sunday evening guests at the Ross home wre Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose and daughter, Lyda, and Misses Etta and May Evans of Bedison.

20th Century Benefit.

The Twentieth Century club will present Tom Moore in "The Man and His Money," at the Empire tomorrow night for the benefit of the Phoebe J. Ess scholarship. The club at a recent meeting decided to give $50 to the fund.

Ten years ago through the efforts of Mrs. Henry N. Ess of Kansas City, the Missouri State Federation of Women's clubs voted to start a loan fund whereby young women of this state who were without means might be enabled to obtain college educations. Last week at the biennial meeting of the federation in St. Louis, Mrs. Ess reported the growth of that fund to $6,000 and announced the fact that 70 young women now are filling creditable positions in the world as a result of the eudcation they were able o obtain through the aid of Missouri club women.

May Day Party.

The freshmen and juniors will entertain the faculty and students of the Normal at a May Day party to be given on the campus tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Some of the features of the party will be three May pole dances, crowning of the May queen and various contests. Any Maryville people wishing to see this program may come out to the campus.

W. C. O. F. Installation.

The W. C. O. F. held their installation of officers in the Forresters' club rooms on Monday evening. The following were installed: Mrs. Mary Cummins chief ranger; Mrs. Bridget Heffern, vice chief ranger; Mrs. Sallie Bluel, recording secretary; Mrs. Maggie Lahr, financial secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Midyett, treasurer; Mrs. Nellie Tobin, Mrs. Mary Aetna Behm and Miss Nellie Lynch, trustees; Miss Vivian Buhler and Miss Margaret Heffern, conductors; Mrs. Mary McNellis and Mrs. Margaret McCall, sentinels. Mrs. John Gross was iniatiated in the order. After the meeting a delicious banquet was served during which Victrola music was enjoyed.

Eat a plate of Ice Cream every day at Orear's Drug Store. 13-15

Mrs. J. E. Scott of Clio, Ia., mother of Mrs. J. R. Lowry, is spending a week at the Lowry home, 520 West First street.

Pictorial Review Patterns

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Mary Newton Dresses

Children's Dresses, that are exclusive models and designs. A special effort was made by the manufacturer to produce tasty and dainty dresses and the proper harmonizing of colors. The materials are best quality Gingham and the perfect fit of each garment is guaranteed Each garment bears the Mary Newton label.

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Youth comes but once. Shall it tarry or depart quickly?

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Kitchen drudgery is the element that banishes youthfulness quickest and makes the housewife old before her time. But kitchen work need not destroy woman's charms. Science leaves no excuse for weariness of mind and body. The Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet will banish drudgery and make home tasks enjoyoble.

The Hoosier is not a mere storage place; not a work table. It is not man's idea but a scientific labor-saving machine developed by women for women. It contains every wanted convenience—every practical device.

In spite of its high quality and great convenience. Hoosiers are moderately priced.

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Spring Footwear

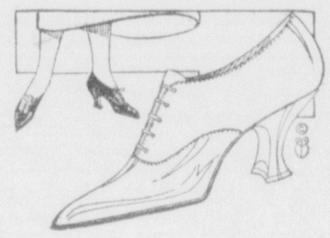
HAVE you secured your Spring Oxfords? We say oxfords because oxfords are the dainty, practical leaders in the spring styles.

Our stock now comprises the black, brown, and white oxfords that are distinguished for their lightness, grace and fine fitting qualities. You will find real pleasure in such oxfords as we now have on display for your approval, made in dull, glazed, brown and white kid, and soft chrome patent leather. The Louis heels, the Cuban heels, the Military heels and the flat common-sense heels are all represented in the new styles.

Pumps and boots in new spring styles are also here to choose from.

All are very moderately priced considering the quality and market conditions.

See the special assortments of broken lots of slippers which have been arranged for easy selection.



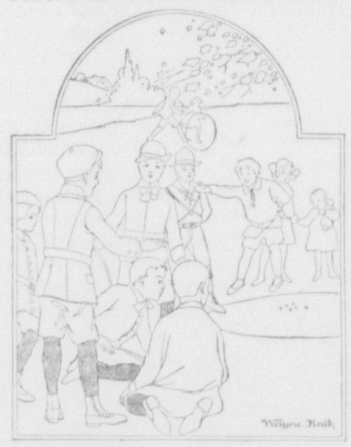
Children's Slippers

In securing the spring footwear the needs of the children were kept constantly in mind and a complete assortment of nobby slippers for the miss and child has been collected. Particular mother will find just what they want in children's footwear at this store and at the right price.

Bring the children and have them fitted.

Hosiery of Merit

Low cut footwear demands fine stockings. Aur extensive spring assortment is made up of leading brands of hosiery made in the U. S. A. —The Wayne Knit, Phoenix, Gordon and Topsy hose are all represented in our new assortment.



Silk hose of fine texture, fibre silk hose, lisle and cotton in black, white and colors are here in abundance.

Ladies' silk stocking, at the pair ..... $1.00 to $3.00

Ladies' lisle stockings, at the pair ..... 50c to $1.00

Ladies' cotton hose, at the pair ..... 19c and up.

We feature the Pony hose for boys and girls. Mothers who have trouble finding hose that will stand the wear and yet be good looking will find a solution to their problem in the Pony stockings. Those who have tried them need no explanation, those who have not need only to try a pair to be convinced of the qualities of this famous "Pony stocking."

SPECIAL—By a special purchase we have a large assortment of black, white and colored fibre stockings for women, assorted sizes, seconds with slight imperfections scarcely noticeable. These are being placed on a table in the west aisle, at a special price of, the pair.....59c

NEW STATE ROADS

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receive aid on two roads under that part of the act that gives to the counties $1,200 per mile without cost.

Now, in order that all will fully understand, it does not follow that the $1,200 per mile will be spent on any state road unless the $1,200 per mile is ample to build a road substantial in character that will take care of the needs of the community, taking into consideration the population; traffic and road materials at hand; always remembering that all projects for road improvement must meet with the approval of the State Highway Department and the Bureau of Public Roads.

Where counties, civil sub-divisions or interested parties provide for their own surveys at their cost, it will mean just that much more money to be spent in their locality.

For the Sweet Girl Graduate

Say It With Flowers

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Entertainment at Hopkins.

Miss Flo Hunter presented the Hopkins High School Girls Glee club in a recital held at the Hopkins Christian church last night. The entertainment consisted of vocal solos, duets, quartettes and double quartettes with several selections by the Glee Club ensemble. There were also several readings

Guilford Chautauqua Course.

Guilford has contracted with the United Chautauqua Co., Travers, Newton & Wick of Des Moines, Ia., for a three days' chautauqua course to be given Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 1, 2 and 3.

Carl Wray of Guilford spent yesterday here on business.

JUDGE MAKES ERRONEOUS PREDICTION REGARDING LAWYER.

"About one clean shirt is all I thought he would ever wear. He had fallen away to a mere shadow; was as yellow as saffron and often doubled up with pain. Dortors continually gave him morphine and were about to operate for gall stones. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy quickly restored him to perfect health again." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One doese will convince or money refunded. —Maryville Drug

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

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FOR SALE—
Life Insurance.
Buy it of Brewer.

FOR kSALE—One 4-yr-old black mare mule, broke, gentle, 16 hands high. Jas. Hays. A23tf

FOR SALE—All my property at a bargain for quick sale. Desirable for retired farmer. Mrs. S. C. Alden, 517 No. Water St., Maryville. Mo. A15-M14*

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FOR SALE—Do you want a good little farm under irrigation in California. I have one for sale. Write for particulars. J. B. Kroetch, Willows, Cal. A10-M9.

FOR SALE—A Ford Roadster, in good running condition. Maryville Electric Lt. & Pr. Co. Empire Theater Bldg. A17tf.

FOR SALE—Early cabbage, tomato, and tobacco plants, 15c dozen, $1.00 per 100. Yellow Jersey sweet potatoes 75c per 100. Mail orders filled promptly. Earl Kissinger, Maryville, Han. 874. A28tf.

FOR SALE—New Violin, case and set steel strings. Hanamo 6209. 13-15*

FOR SALE—One Overland, five passesnger touring car in good condition. C. C. Hellmers. M2tf.

FOR SALE—Refrigerator. Price, $7.00—worth the money. 503 S. Vine St. Hanamo 446. 13-15*

FOR SALE—5-year-old sorrel horse. Robert Mozingo, 1324 East First St. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Early tomato plants, 15c per dozen., $1.00 per hundred. Mango and pimento peppers, 20c per doz. Nancy Hall and Yellow Jersey sweet potato plants, 75c per hundred. Postage prepaid on orders of $3.00 or over. Walter Johnson, Pickering, Mo. M 10 tf

FOR SALE—One yearling thoroughbred registered Hereford bull. Mrs. W. T. Nelson, Guilford, Mo. 10-13*

FOR QUICK SALE—To move within the next ten days we will make the right prices on the following new cars and trucks. One 3-4 to 1 ton Kissel truck. One 2 to 2½ ton Kissel truck. One 100 point 6 Kissel Touring car. One Big 6 Kissel silver touring. Cash or installments. Armstrong Auto Co., 1515 Buchanan Ave., St. Joseph, Mo.

FOR SALE—Cheap, folding bed in good condition, both phones 282. 10-13*

FOR SALE—At a bargain, threshing machine rig. Write Box 146. Maryville, Mo. 10-13

FOR SALE—A cement plant in good condition. Price right. C. S. Abbott, Elmo, Mo. 12-14.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

HOUSE FOR RENT — Close in. hon Hanamo 556. 3-11 tf

FOR RENT—6 room residence, 123 East First, nice home, close in, possession May 15. J. A. Ford. 17tf.

FOR RENT—6 room house with bath and basement, 123 South Buchanan Inquire of W. Linneman. 3-9*

FOR RENT—1 large room furnished or light housekeeping, modern except eat. Would prefer couple of working irls. Cheap if taken at once. Call Hanamo 4533. 12-14

FOR RENT—Two rear office rooms over South Side Bakery. Inquire Miss Schenck, 528 West Fourth, Hanamo 683. 10-17

FOR RENT—Modern rooms, with or without light housekeeping. Martin flats. 216 E 3rd St. Hanamo 3041. M13tf

WANTED

WANTED—Lawn Mowers to sharpen and repair. Armstrong's Foundry. M1tf.

FOUND—Rosary. Call at this office. 10-13

HAIL DAMAGES CROPS. Protect yourself NOW by insuring with R. L. McDougal 8tf.

WANTED—All kinds of junk and junk cars—will pay highest prices. Call Hanamo 232 or Farmers 75. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. M7tf

WANTED—Music pupils, 321 West Fifth St. 12-14*

Cash for Old False Teeth (Broken or not). We pay $2.00 to $35.00 per set. Also actual value for Diamonds, Watches, Bridgework, Crowns, Old Gold, Silver and Platinum. Send at once and receive cash by return mail. Your goods returned if price is unsatisfactory. Mazer Bros. W-2007 S. 5th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 12-24*

SALESMAN WANTED—A growing local concern has an opening for a young man with ability to develop intoa real salesman. This is a commission proposition to start, other arrangements when ability is demonstrated. Previous experience not essential, but a knowledge of bookkeeping would be beneficial. For personal interview address P. O. Box 193, City. 13-15*

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, May 13.—May corn, $1.70½; July, $1.66 7-8; September, $1.56¼.

Chicago, May 13.—Cattle, 8,500; Hogs, 21,000; Sheep, 11,000.

St. Joseph, May 13.—Cattle, 2,500, Hogs, 5,000; top $20.75, steady; Sheep, 5,000.

Kansas City, May 13.—Cattle receipts, 11,000; steers $14 @ $16.10. Cows, $9.12 @ $9.50. Hogs, 19,000, top $20.80, bulk $2060.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs	39c
Butter Fat	56c
Hides, per pound	14c
Hens, epr pound	25c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Old roosters, per lb	14c

FOR SALE—At the Maryville Seed Store where you can get all kinds of seeds from the Seedy Man. Seed Corn, per bu., $5.00; Soja Beans, $5.60; Cane Seed, $2.00; Victory Millet, $2.50; Sudan Grass, $12.50; Kaffir Corn, $4.00; Rape Seed, $6.25; Alfalfa Seed, $15.00; Timothy Seed, $6.50. Plenty of all kinds of garden seeds and feeds at living prices. R. S. Braniger.

Malvern Brothers Return.

E. R. Malvern, 1103 L. Squadron, who has been in France for the last 17 months, returned to his home in Quitman yesterday, having received his discharge at Camp Dodge, Ia., the day before. A brother, Warren Malvern, came home last week from overseas service and another brother, John is still located in France but is expected home next month. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Malvern of Quitman.

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Attend Baptist Meetings.

Rev. W. C. Ferguson and I. E. Tebow went to Burlington Junction Sunday afternoon attending a meeting of the Baptist denomination held at the home of a member. There is no church in Burlington Junction but regular meetings are held on Sundays at the homes. Rev. W. H. Leyburn closed a successful series of meetings in Burlington Junction last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Raines, accompanied by Bert Colwell of Twin Falls, Idaho, who is visiting Maryville relatives, drove to Tarkio today to attend the celebration in honor of Company A and all other soldiers and sailors of Atchison county. Miss Mary Margaret Richey also went to Tarkio today for the celebration and will remain for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Trout, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Curfman.

Miss Dorothy DeMoss of Stanberry and Miss Mabel Black of Savannah were track meet guests at the home of Mrs. Emma DeMoss.

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Preferred "Motorhouse."

In England during the early days of motor vehicles, there was a decided preference for the name "motorhouse" rather than "garage."

An Advantage.

Another advantage of tortoise shell glasses is that they cover up a good deal of face.—Kansas Industrialist.

Failure.

When a man lacks principal he naturally falls from lack of interest.

Daily Thought.

Man is one world and hath another to attend him.—Herbert.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Red Cross Notes

All persons who have yarns in process of knitting, kindly make an effort to complete ame by June 1st, as we want to get all finished articles to headquarters not later than June 10th. This includes refugee garments and any other garments that have been placed in the county on quota.

Found—During the Junior Bazaar at the eRd Cross, a ladies gold watch was found. Party may have same by describing same.

The Three Crosses.

The iron cross is black as death and hard as human hate;
The wooden cross is white and still and whispers us, "Too late;"
But the Red Cross sings of life and love and hearts regenerate.

The iron cross is Boastful cross and marks a war-made slave;
The wooden cross is a dumb, dead cross and guards a shallow grave;
But the Red Cross reaches out its arms to solace and to save.

The iron cross is a kaiser's cross and narrow is its clan;
The wooden cross is soldiers' cross and mourns its partisan;
But the Red Cross is the Cross of One who served his fellowman.

—Edmund Vance Cook.

Reasons for Home Hygiene

An international health conference is soon to be held in Geneva, Switzerland, at which a program to banish all preventable diseases from the world will be prepared. One of the medical representatives who is to attend this conference has stated that the influenza epidemic is liable to recur. In the opinion of many medical authorities, a second world calamity from this scourge is more than probable. That is why women the world over must be prepared. They must know at least the principles of hygiene. They must know how to care intelligently for the sick in their families.

All the nations of the world look upon public health education as the prime necessity of the day. Delegates from every country are going to Geneva to establish a sound basis for the dissemination of health teaching. We cannot afford to ignore what the whole world is working for. Public health knowledge can be the asset of every woman, through the courses provided by the Red Cross in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick.

Clothing and Equipment Retained

Certain articles of clothing and equipment may be permanently retained by enlisted men of the army upon honorable discharge and the clothng may be worn by them thereafter. Any man who served in the United States Army during the present war, honorably discharged or furloughed to the Reserves since April 6, 1917, who has restored to the Government any articles included in this equipment, or to whom for any reason they were never issued, may make application for such articles to the Domestic Disbursing Branch, Office of the Director of Storage, Washington D. C., whereupon similar clothing and uniforms, in kind and value as nearly as may be, will be restored to him. The application will state the size required and will be accompanied by an affidavit made before any civil or military official authorized to administer oaths, setting forth the soldier's record of service since April 6, 1917, the date and place of his discharge or furlough to the Reserves and certifying that none of the articles applied for were retained by him at the time of his discharge or furlough to the Reserves, or if retained that they may have been restored to the Government. Officers and men who have returned the gas masks and helmets may make similar application for these articles and they will be reissued if available. Any person who served with the United States Army during the present war may wear the uniform after discharge, provided that it shall include some distinctive mark to be prescribed by the Secretary of War. The red chevron prescribed to be worn by discharged enlisted men as a recognition of duty performed, is now also designated as the distinctive mark required by the Act permitting the retention of certain articles of clothing.

Unclaimed Allotment and Allowance.

Thousands of allotees are not receiving allotments and allowances on account of change of residence, incorrect address or other reasons, the checks being returned marked "Unclaimed" to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance. The American Red Cross, through its Home Service Sections, is endeavoring to obtain the present location and correct addresses of these allottees. We are sending tracers out from the Division Office. Please do not return these marked "Unable to locate" until you hve exhausted every means of locating these allottees by advertising in the local papers, making inquiries of neighbors, etc. Many families may be in distress because their checks have not been received and the information you furnish may mean the receipt of their allotments. The postmaster probably does not know thelocation of the allottee or he would not have returned the checks as unclaimed.

Canteen Committee Not to Accept Souvenirs from Soldiers.

In the enthusiasm of their reception by the Red Cross, the soldiers have occasionallly given to the women of the Canteen Committees souvenirs that they had brought with them from abroad. The members of the Canteen committee should not accept souvenirs of any kind from the men, for these souvenirs that they are bringing back should go to their families and there is apt to be disappointment if the soldiers do not bring these souvenirs that they have brought home from France to their relatives at home. Therefore it is not good policy for Canteen workers to accept gifts or souvenirs. The men should keep gifts for their own home people.

CHARLES P. PETTUS,
Director Canteen Service, S. W. Div.

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Emergency and the Red Cross.

We now see that the emergency does not necessarily end with the war. The nation has risen to a new sense of its responsibility for its defenders. The welfare of the returned soldier and his family must not be left to chance. The community to which he returns must be made fit for him to live in. Thus have "war-aims" been broadened till they have become plans for a new society.

One can see all this by studying the work of a great organization like the American Red Cross. It has been dealing with the emergencies created by the Great War, but it has been content with no temporary makeshifts. One feels that he is watching the beginning of a new and ordered national life. What a multitude of new activities directed by expert intelligence! It is the effective organization of the goodwill of the community.—Dr. Samuel McChord Crothers, in The Atlantic.

Obituary.

After being in ill health for more than a year, Chas. Benton Alexander passed away in death at the family home in Pickering, on the mroning of May 10, 1919. He was the son of John L. and Charlotta Alexander, and was born at Centerville, Ia., Oct. 29, 1871. At the age of three years he was brought by his parents to Nodaway county, where practically all the rest of his life was spent. On Dec. 28, 1892, he was married to Edith Gidden, who has proven herself a faithful wife, and who now mourns his departure.

Some eight years age he and his wife united with the Christian church at Blockton, Ia., and for some time he was superintendent of the Sunday School. Later they transferred their membership to Pickering, where they were in good standing at the time of his death. He was made a Free Mason in Iowa, and raised to the sublime degress of Master Mason. Some time ago he changed his membershop to Pickering. He wa salso a member of the I. O. O. F. and the Brotherhood of American Yeoman.

Besides his wife he is survived by three brothers and one sister. They are W. C. and T. J. Alexander of Pickering, J. E. of Lincoln, Neb., and Mrs. Arthur Adcock of Denver, Colo. On Sunday, May 11, at 3 o'clock, a large crowd assembled at the Pickering Christian church and listened to a funeral discourse by Elder W. A. Chapman, who assisted in the series by Rev. Dayhoff of the M. E. Church. The body was laid beside that of his father in Oak Hill ceemtery. The father preceded him in death just four weeks.

Glen Anderson Home Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Anderson will return tonight from Des Moines, Ia., where Mr. Anderson received his honorable discharge from service. He was a member of the 117th sanitary train and had been in overseas service almost two years. He enlisted in a Nebraska company. Mrs. Anderson went to Des Moines a week ago to meet her husband and to visit her brother, Jerry Sayler and wife. Mr. Anderson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson left this morning for Liberty to visit at the home of Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Phillips.

Judge J. M. Dawson is holding a special sesion of court at Albany today. T. A. Cummins is also in Albany on court business.

Edwin Bellows of Chicago is visiting with relatives in Maryville.

WM. COLE DEAD.

Funeral Services this Afternoon at the Methodist Church in Elmo.

Funeral services for William H. Cole, who died yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of a niece, Mrs. Walter Hull, in Elmo, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Elmo Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. Ragsdale.

Burial was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery by the side of his wife, who died six years ago. Mr. Cole was nearly 86 years old nd his death was caused by uremic poisoning. He had lived in in this county since 1874 and was the last one of a family of eight.

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In Devastated Regions of Belgium.

According to the St. Joseph News-Press, George Crowson, son of Dr. Crowson of Pickering, is a member of a party of newspaper men who are touring devastated regions in Belgium and France Six hundred persons are divided into groups of two hundred for the trip, which Crowson writes is a wonderful one. He expects to return home late in August or early in September.

Obituary.

Helen Louise, aged seven months and twenty-one days, died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J C Chappell, 422 South Hester street, Friday, May 9, 1919. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Chappell. The body was laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery.

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Miss Ruth Smith of St. Joseph, a nurse at Enrworth hospital, left this morning after a visit of several days with Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Burris.

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